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LATER RETURNS SHOW BIG HARMON MAJORITY

Ohio Governor Gets Practically a Solid Delegation in His Native State—Roosevelt Defeats Taft by 25,000 and Will Likely Get 33 out of 42 Delegates.

Columbus, Ohio, May 22.—According to returns in hand tonight from approximately 4,500 of the 5,912 precincts in the State, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's delegates to the National Republican Convention carried yesterday's Ohio primary by a plurality of about 25,000 votes. It now seems scarcely possible that final results from the primary pool will change the number of district delegates for either side by more than one or two. The best figures available tonight show that Roosevelt has 32 of the 42 district delegates selected yesterday and that President Taft has ten.

Although later returns on the Democratic Presidential preference primary vote give Woodrow Wilson a fighting chance for one or two more delegates, the New Jersey man's exact standing will not be known for several days when certain belated rural returns have been secured from dilatory judges who refused to complete the counts in their precincts before taking a night's sleep. However, Governor Harmon practically is assured a complete delegation of 48 delegates to the Baltimore convention. His lead now gives him control of the State Democratic Convention, which will select six delegates at large. Also it is said that the convention will provide for the unit rule which will force the Wilson delegates, selected by districts yesterday to vote for the Ohio executive.

The delegate at large situation in the Republican party will not be known or settled until June 3rd, when the State Republican Convention is convened here. The Taft leaders claim that they will control the State convention and designate the delegates at large for the President. But the Roosevelt managers declared that late returns show the number of Taft delegates to the State convention to be dwindling instead of increasing, as was announced early today. There is no question but that the Taft-Roosevelt fight will be carried on to the floor of the State convention when the final struggle in Ohio will be made for the half dozen delegates at large.

In only 23 of the 88 counties in the State were delegates to the State convention chosen. In the remaining counties, the delegates will be named by county conventions.

Even in the matter of district delegates an official count will be necessary to determine the exact results. An instance of this sort arose today in the 13th Congressional district (Sandusky) where late returns indicate that the district will be divided almost evenly between Taft and Roosevelt delegates, and Harmon and Wilson. Early figures gave the two delegates in this district on the Republican ticket to Mr. Taft. Colonel Roosevelt may now get one of the delegates and thus increase his total of district delegates to 33. This would leave Mr. Taft nine delegates.

An analysis made tonight of the recapitulated Roosevelt vote shows that the Roosevelt strength was not confined to any particular section of the State, or to any particular class of citizens. He carried mining and industrial sections, such as the Hocking Valley, as well as some of the oldest and most conservative urban communities in the State. Added to these was much strength among the farmers. In Adams county where more than 1,500 voters were disfranchised, not long ago for vote-selling, Roosevelt had a considerable plurality. A town with a prophetic name, White House, in Lucas county, gave Roosevelt 21 votes and Taft five. Roosevelt managers seized upon this incident as a harbinger of good fortune.

The trend of the late Democratic returns which indicate that Wilson has carried the First and Second districts, have developed a peculiar situation in the Cincinnati end of the State. Wilson, possibly because it was Governor Harmon's home territory, had no candidates for delegates in these districts and hence his unexpected strength will give him nothing more than the expressed approval of the voters in the districts. Governor Harmon gets the delegates from these districts simply because there were no Wilson delegates to vote for.

Says Taft Should Quit

Washington, May 22.—Senator Dixon, head of the National Roosevelt headquarters, today issued a statement practically calling upon President Taft to withdraw from the Presidential contest.

"Ohio makes the 10th Republican State where the candidacy of Mr. Taft and Col. Roosevelt has been submitted to the Republican voters themselves for decision," said Senator Dixon. "The verdict has been an unanimous affair in every State. Taft and his campaign managers have fully realized that an adverse verdict in Ohio meant the death knell of the movemet to renominate Taft.

"Realizing the situation, Mr. Taft frankly stated at Cleveland last Thursday in his speech: 'The vote in Ohio, my home State, will be the decisive one, and will settle the question of the nomination.' The Republican leaders and the Republican voters so interpret the Roosevelt landslide in Ohio yesterday.

"The Republican party is bigger than the ambition of any one man. The one wise patriotic thing to be done is for Mr. Taft and his managers now to accept the unanimous verdict of the Republican primary States and to withdraw from the contest. Neither he nor his managers can longer withstand the nationwide movement that calls for Roosevelt once again to assume the leadership of the Republican party. His nomination is inevitable at Chicago and his election is certain in November."

McKinley Is Confident

Washington, May 22.—Director McKinley, of the Taft National campaign bureau, today issued a statement declaring the President would have at least 600 delegates in the Chicago convention.

"The outcome of the Ohio primary yesterday has in no degree altered the relative strength of the various candidates in the Chicago convention. President Taft has gained enough delegates in Ohio to assure him of at least 600 delegates," says the statement.

"He is already assured of control in that body by a substantial majority," the statement continues, "and the outcome in Ohio, whatever it may be has not in the slightset degree altered the situation except to aid President Taft to Theodore Roosevelt and Senator Cummins as another candidate who has lost his own State. Mr. Roosevelt lost New York by 83 to 7 and Senator Cummins lost Iowa by 16 to 10, both going to Taft.

"President Taft said when he took the stump in Massachusetts, 'I have only begun to fight.' That statement holds good today. The outcome in Ohio, if it has had any effect at all on the Taft strength in the Chicago convention, has only served to solidify the Taft lines and make more certain a Taft outcome.

"The President will have a majority of the delegates in the Chicago convention from every section of the country, clearly indicating that he is the choice of a large majority of the rank and file of the country and that no other Republican can hope to be elected this Fall.

"The defeat of Roosevelt for a third term is assured.

"It is reliably reported that the Roosevelt backers in Ohio have expended $300,000 in the campaign in that State alone. The Taft forces expended $25,000 all told from their headquarters."

FEDERALS ATTACK REBELS.

Insurrectos' Main Column Engaged Near Rellano, Mexico.

Rebel Camp, Rellano, Mexico, May 22, 9 P. M.—The main column of the rebels fortified here was attacked today by the Federals under Gen. Rebago. The fighting is still in progress. Gen. Orozco came down from Jiminez to take personal charge just before the Federals attacked at 4 o'clock. Gen. Salazar was in command of the first rebel line. The rebel commands of Gen. Trucey Aubert, Rebago and Tellez and Cols. Villa and Urbania are engaged. The Federal force is estimated at 3,500 and the rebels at 4,000, with the advantage in fortified positions being in favor of the insurrectos.

While the Federal artillery poured shell after shell into the rebel's positions, rebel cavalry moved to one side in a flank movement at the same time pouring a heavy fire into the Federal columns.

Casualties up to 8 o'clock tonight were few. There is every prospect that the battle, which has so long been awaited, will be decided tomorrow. There was no change in positions at nightfall. The infantry fire after dark was desultory, but that of the Federal artillery was almost continuous.

Fighting practically ceased at 9 o'clock. At rebel headquarters it is estimated that 20 rebels and 50 Federals were killed.

Federal Headquarters of Gen. Huerta, Asuncolo, Mex., May 22, 11:10 P. M.—For hours today the battle raged between the main forces of Gen. Orozco and Gen. Huerta. The latter left his camp this morning and is tonight with the vanguard of the Federal troops in the field in front of Rellano. The Federals attacked first, following with incessant cannonading.

At Federal headquarters, Rellano, Mex. May 22., 11:30 P. M.—Couriers from the front declare the heavy artillery fire of the Federals dislodged the enemy from its position but darkness prevented the Federals from following up their advantage with cavalry and infantry. General Huerta is beside a battery of artillery at the front.

PLEA FOR COLORED LABORER.

African Methodists Claim an Injustice is Being Done.

Kansas City, May 22.—"The increasing tendency to prefer white foreign labor to that of the negro citizen" is doing the American negro an injustice, according to the report of a committee of the African Methodist Episcopal Conference today.

"We remind the white citizens of this unfairness," says the report, "in view of the fact that the negro in unrequited labor of 250 years felled the American forest, tunneled and bridged American rivers and tilled the soil while the white man reveled in the advantages of education, leisure and wealth made possible by negro labor."

WOULD EVANGELIZE ROMANIST CHURCH

Presbyterian Committee on Romanism Throws Down The Gauntlet.

OPPOSITION TO THE REPORT

Sinnott Case Disposed Of—Assembly Reunites Itself With Federated Council of Churches Of Christ

Bristol, Tenn., May 22.—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, in session here today, received a report from its Committee on Romanism, urging that the Church start a movement among the Evangelical churches of Jesus Christ in the United States and Canada, to throw down the gauntlet to the Roman Catholic Church in America, to undertake a comprehensive plan of evangelizing the Romanists and to establish a foundation for the support of converts from among the priests, monks and nuns, until they are fully instructed and enabled to learn gainful occupations. Judge Allen G. Hall, a noted lawyer of Nashville, submitted a minority report from the Romanism Committee, urging against any such campaign and declaring that it would precipitate the Church into political entanglements. The committee was appointed on a resolution at Louisville last year to "report some practical method of advising our whole people concerning the dangers involved in the pernicious activity of that powerful politico-religious organization known as the Roman Catholic Church."

Judge Hall says that any method to execute this programme would be impracticable, divert the Church from its proper mission of preaching the gospel and precipitate it into political controversies.

The majority report is submitted by Thomas K. Johnson, D. D., and is a lengthy document, prepared after exaustive inquiry and research. The assembly made the reports the first order of business for tomorrow.

The majority report says Protestants have been too much agreed of dealing uncharitably with the Catholics and urges an aggressive Nationwide campaign against the Church of Rome; way to do away with Roman menace is to make Romanists evangelcal, says the committee.

The assembly took steps that will lead to a uniform distribution of the funds for widows of ministers and that will ultimately lead to the abolition of the dependent colony at Fredericksburg, Va., where the Church has a large school.

Final disposition was made of the noted case of Dr. W. I. Sinnott against the Presbytery of North Alabama, involving the right of a lower court of the Church to endorse prohibition. Dr. Sinnott complained against his Presbytery, and his action, in the midst of a fierce Statewide prohibition fight in Alabama, which attracted almost National attention. The assembly refused to hear his appeal and he was harshly censured. This year he made a fight to have the case re-opened and his condemnation removed. The assembly held that the case had been finally adjudicated and was not reviewable. However, a resolution giving the opinion that the assembly's censure on him was unwise and hasty, was passed and the case goes into history. The assembly then heard a resolution to declare it the policy of the Church that no proposed law can be approved by a court of the Church, but it was referred to a committee.

The assembly today voted to reunite itself with the Federated Council of the Churches of Christ. Last year it left the council on the ground that it was doing things to interfere with the Church's idea of the relation of the Church and State. Dr. W. S. Jacobs was elected to represent the Church on the council's executive board and the moderator was directed to appoint a delegation to attend the quadrennial.

Foreign Missions are receiving the consideration of the Assembly tonight. It will adjourn tomorrow.

NAVIGATION CONGRESS OPENS

President Taft is Going to Philadelphia To Speak to Delegates

Philadelphia, May 22.—Delegates from many parts of the world are here for the formal opening of the 12th International Congress of Navigation tomorrow when President Taft will welcome the visitors on behalf of the American people. The first of the many sessions scheduled for the week of the convention was a meeting this forenoon of the permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses, under the auspices of which the congress will hold its sessions.

Much of the day will be taken up with visits to many of the city's larger public works, to shipyards on both the Pennsylvania and New Jersey sides of the Delaware river and to manufacturing establishments here. Tonight Mayor Blankenburg will tender the visiting delegates a reception at the City Hall.

Discussions of the Congress will be largely technical.

BRYAN SAYS HE'S NOT A CANDIDATE

He Urges Members of Methodist Conference to Get Into Politics.

FOURTH BISHOP IS ELECTED

Dr. Napthali Luccock, of Kansas City, Named—Episcopacy Committee Advocates Indefinite Time Limit for Pastors.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 22.—Dr. Napthali Luccock, pastor of the Hyde Park church, Kansas City, Mo., is the fourth bishop of the eight to be elected at the present session of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church here.

This was the result of the 15th ballot announced late today, Dr. Luccock receiving 548 votes, 34 more than necessary to elect.

William Jennings Bryan, in a speech before the conference, reiterated his recent statement that he is a candidate for no office and did not expect to be.

"I hope that no unfriendly newspaper," he said, "will say that I am a candidate for bishop." He urged all church members to get into politics for the benefit of public morality and good government.

"I got into politics when young and expect to stay until I die," he declared, "but I don't want you to believe that I am or ever expect to be a candidate. I can do more by remaining in politics as a private citizen, for then my friends never are pulling at my coat tails telling me not to do that or this for fear it will hurt me."

Automatic retirement of bishops instead of by superannuation by the vote of the General Conference, was advocated today in the report of Committee on Episcopacy. The committee recommends that a bishop at the close of the General Conference nearest his 73rd birthday be released from his obligation to travel and from residence supervision.

The Committee on Episcopacy today advocated that the indefinite time limit that a pastor may remain in a charge be left as it is. A fight has been made to change the old time limit of five years.

Absolution of the charges against those managing Sunday School publications of teaching higher criticism was given by the conference today. Dr. John T. McFarland, New York, head of the publications, appearing before the conference during the debate on the question to reaffirm his belief in the doctrines of the church.

El Paso, Texas, May 22.—Senor Lorente, the Mexican consul here, announced tonight that he had directed the Federal columns near Guadaloupe, to move southward and avoid any conflict near the American border. He also declared no fighting would occur near Juarez if the Mexican government could prevent it, as the plan of the Federals is ultimately to surround Juarez with so large a force as to force a bloodless surrender.

OUTLINES

Charles W. Morse, who has been to Europe for his health, returned yesterday greatly improved.

A battle is raging between the main column of the rebels fortified at Rellano, Mexico, and the Federals, under Gen. Rebago.

W. P. Boland testified at the Archbald hearing yesterday that several railroads conspired to obtain control of his coal company.

Representative Dies, of Texas, in a bitter attack in the House yesterday on Roosevelt and the leaders of his own party declared he foresaw the crumbling of the Republic.

Six witnesses testified in the Myrtle Hawkins case at Hendersonville yesterday, all of them testifying that the body found in Lake Oceola last Fall was that of Myrtle Hawkins.

Latest returns from Ohio primaries show that Governor Harmon secured almost the entire delegation of his native State and that Roosevelt defeated Taft by 25,000 votes, getting probably 33 delegates.

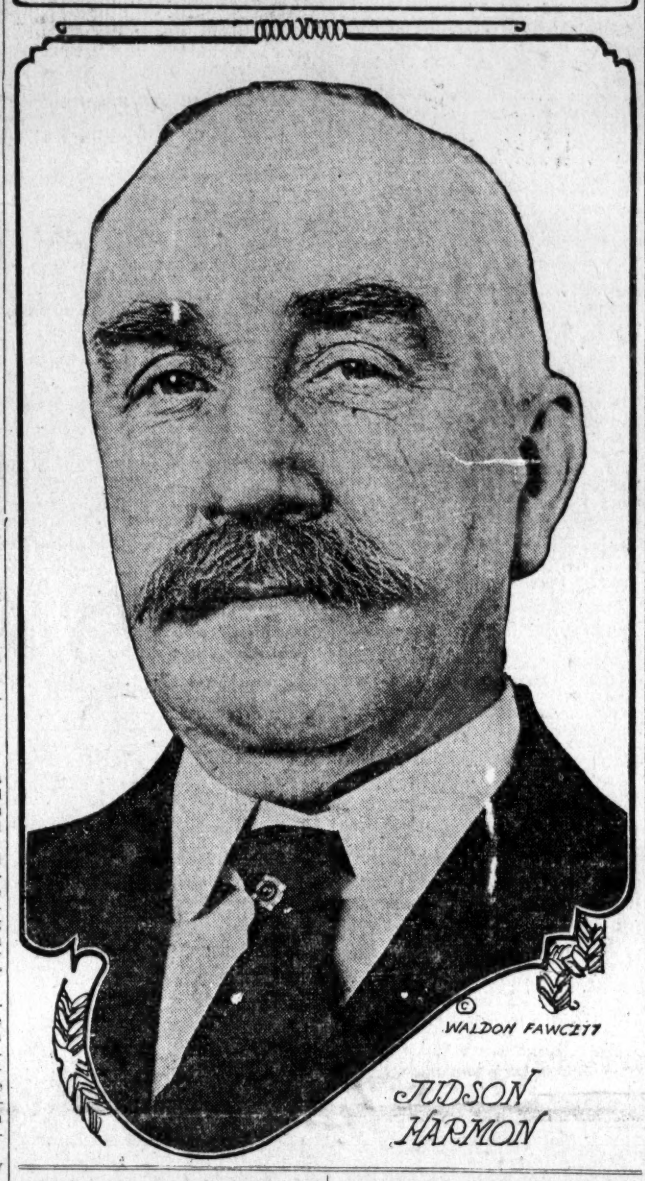
President Taft yesterday declared he already had more than enough delegates to assure his nomination, but went ahead planning the fight he will make in New Jersey to "make assurance doubly sure."

W. J. Bryan, who spoke yesterday at the General Conference of the Methodist Church, declared he was a candidate for no office and urged church members to get into politics. A fourth bishop was elected.

The Committee on Romanism, of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, in session at Bristol, Tenn., made its report yesterday, urging the assembly to combine with other churches in an effort to evangelize the Roman Catholic Church.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 3-4 to 2 7-8 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4; closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 2 7-8. Spot cotton closed quiet. Flour firm with a fair trade. Wheat, spot strong; No. 2, 1.23 1-2 c.i.f., domestic basis to arrive and export 1.23 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Corn, spot strong; export 85 1-2 afloat. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

Ohio Is Loyal to Him



TAFT PLANS NEW JERSEY TOUR

The President and Cabinet Work on Proposed Campaign—Will Fight To "Make Assurances Doubly Sure"—Claim Victory

Washington, May 22.—Claiming 570 delegates to the Chicago convention, or 30 more than enough to assure him the nomination, President Taft, in a statement today declared he was going into New Jersey, to "make assurance doubly sure." He will leave Washington for Philadelphia at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning and make his first political speech at Camden in the evening.

The President's statement was issued after a day of activity at the White House. Political conferences with his managers and appointments with members of the cabinet were followed at 4 o'clock by a meeting of the full cabinet. It was stated later that this meeting was devoted to "routine business," but members of the cabinet admitted that the political situation had been reviewed in considerable detail.

"Our opponents quote from a statement of mine, made in Cleveland that tne fight in Ohio, my home State, much to my gratification would be the decisive one," said the President, in his statement, "and would settle the question of my nomination. This is true. I shall have at least 17 votes from Ohio, including the delegates at large, for we have every assurance that we shall control the State convention.

"This will constitute a clear majority in the National convention. Indeed, in addition to the votes from Ohio, delegates elected for me from other States of which I have been advised since my Cleveland statement give me at the most conservative estimate 570 out of the 1,078 votes in the National convention—30 more than the number necessary to nominate. I am going to New Jersey to take part in the coming campaign there, for the same reason that I went to Ohio, and such delegates as we may receive from New Jersey, will thus make assurance doubly sure."

Earlier in the day, Director McKinley, of the Taft headquarters, claimed "at least 600 delegates for the President." The President's estimate, while smaller, was declared at the White House to represent "rock bottom figurs which were expected to be materially increased. The claim to the six delegates at large in Ohio was made by the President after reassuring messages from his Ohio managers.

No definite claim was made by the Taft forces today to the 24 delegates to be selected in New Jersey next Tuesday. At Roosevelt National headquarters, Senator Dixon expressed the belief that Colonel Roosevelt would carry all districts in the State and secure the full delegation. In a statement early in the day, Senator Dixon declared Colonel Roosevelt would be nominated at Chicago on the first ballot.

Teddy Goes to New Jersey Today.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 22.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt will begin his campaign in New Jersey tomorrow, making his first speech at Paterson. He will also speak in several other places during the day and in the evening in Newark and Jersey City.

Col. Roosevelt was very much pleased over the results in yesterday's primary in Ohio. He declared that the result in Ohio had settled the contest.

FORESEES NATION'S DOWNFALL

Rep. Dies in Bitter Attack on Roosevelt and Leaders of His Own Party Declares the Republic is Crumbling.

Washington, May 22.—In one of the most remarkable speeches of the present session of Congress, Representative Dies, of Texas, Democrat, today assailed former President Roosevelt in bitter terms and referred in almost as bitter fashion to the leaders of his own party, including Speaker Clark and Governor Wilson, to whom he alluded as "Parson" Wilson. Mr. Dies foresaw the crumbling of the Republic, the eventual rule of the mob, and assigned as the causes the growth of demagoguery and influx of ignorant immigrants from Southern Europe.

Tracing the history of Rome, Greece, Italy, France and down to the present day in Mexico, the Texan expressed his fervent hope that "history would not repeat itself under 'Teddy'."

He prophesied that Col. Roosevelt, because of his victory in Ohio yesterday, would sweep the country," in the coming Presidential campaign.

"You are a pessimist," interrupted a voice on the Republican side.

"No, I am not a pessimist," shouted Mr. Dies, "I look only for the worst. Out of the jungle comes the lion-tamer, his hands reeking with the blood of wild beasts. Up goes the cry 'We want Teddy! We want Teddy!' Not even LaFollette—not even Cummins is advanced enough. They do not know the meaning of progressiveism."

Mr. Dies attributed to "ignorance at home and cowardice here" his conviction that the Republic was going ahead at the present time "more and more slowly by reason only of its acquired momentum." He attacked Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Underwood for their alleged failure to sustain the old Democratic principles. In like vein and for the same reason he assailed Minority Leader Mann and Representative Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, for what he charged was desertion from their political faith.

"Berger is the biggest man in this bunch," he said, referring to the lone Socialist member who hails from Wisconsin. "He is heading toward Socialism, while you are backing away and into it."

MYRTLE HAWKINS' PARENTS TESTIFY

Positive That Body Found in Lake Oceola Was That of Daughter.

OTHER WITNESSES ON STAND

Coroner Kirk Testifies That Death Had Resulted From An Illegal Operation—Testimony Unshaken

Hendersonville, N. C., May 22.—Six witnesses took the stand in the Myrtle Hawkins case here today and swore positively that the body found in Lake Oceola last Fall was that of Myrtle Hawkins. Coroner Kirk testified to examining the body and said that he recognized it as that of Myrtle and that he found that death had resulted from an illegal operation.

The defendants in the case are Abner McCall and wife, Beatrice McCall, George Bradley, "Boney" Bradley, Dan McCall, Mrs. Nora Britt and Mrs. Lizzie Shaft.

Homer Hawkins, brother of the missing girl; Mrs. Lula Thomas, of Asheville, and Mrs. Lela Curry, of Morristown, sisters, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkins, parents of Myrtle, all were put on the stand and all swore positively that they had identified the body as Myrtle, both by marks on the body and the clothing worn. The brother was emphatic in regard to certain marks on the body and the sisters equally so in their identification of the clothing in which the body was found.

Examination failed to shake the testimony of any of the witnesses.

Coroner Kirk's testimony had to do with the inquest held last September, the autopsy and identification of the girl. He was firm in his conviction that death was caused by a criminal operation, the body afterwards being thrown into Lake Osceola to conceal the crime. While the general conditions of the body indicated that death was not caused by drowning, upon cross examination the witness admitted that some organs indicated that death could have been caused by drowning. He identified the body as that of Myrtle Hawkins.

Homer Hawkins testified that he had no trouble in identifying his sister at first sight, although the body was swollen. He denied hesitating in announcing the identification of the body until after some delay. He said that in various ways he identified the body. He said he knew nothing of Myrtle's whereabouts from Wednesday morning until Sunday morning. He will be asked a few questions on re-direct examination upon the reconvening of court.

Upon motion of counsel for defense all witnesses except those related to the interested parties in the case were separated.

FLEXIBLE TROLLEY CAR.

Snakelike Vehicle Being Tried for Boston's Narrow Streets.

Boston, May 22.—A "snake" car, a jointed coach which, it is hoped, will be able to wind its way through the sharp turning streets of downtown Boston, is being experimented with by the Boston elevated company in Roxbury.

No passengers have been carried in it, but if it proves as successful in the city proper as it has in Roxbury, it will be introduced into the regular through city lines, enabling the company to run a fifty-foot car where the regular cars cannot travel.

This new car is provided with a joint in the middle and a flexible platform covered with a hood. When on a straight track it appears as one unbroken length.

Center doors are also provided and the pasesngers will enter and leave at that point. Two trolleys adorn the roof. The maker's name for the device is the articulated car.

R. R. POSTAL CLERKS MEET.

Insurgent Members Attack President Schardt's Adminstration.

New Orleans, May 22.—Charges that President Schardt's administration is subservient to the will and dictates of the Postmaster General, that it has supinely allowed the department to interpret laws, designed to aid the railway mail clerks, obtained after three years' fighting, in a manner to render them ineffective and causing them to lose "protective features", were made at today's session of the National Railway Mail Clerks Convention meeting here.

The insurgents also contend that the government does not get from the railroads what it pays for.

The report for the year of Secretary Wood, read today, shows the organization had lost 598 members with a consequent decrease in income of about $7,000.

Reports read in the meeting of the women's auxiliary showed that organization to be increasing in membership.

Washington, May 22.—A. T. Sigler, a Green Castle, Ind., veterinarian, told the House Committee on Expenditures in the Agricultural Department today of his inspection for the committee of an Indianapolis packing house. He found everything in a sanitary condition.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At St. Louis, 2; Philadelphia, 3.
At Chicago, 10; Broklyn, 6.
At Pittsburg, 0; Boston, 3.
At Cincinnati, 1; New York, 6.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	23	6	.793
Cincinnati	22	9	.710
Chicago	15	14	.517
Pittsburg	12	14	.462
Philadelphia	11	15	.423
St. Louis	13	20	.394
Boston	11	19	.367
Brooklyn	9	18	.333

Chicago, May 22.—Chicago won a heavy hitting game 10 to 6 from Brooklyn today, making it three victories out of four games. Daubert made five hits in as many times at bat, while Zimmerman got three hits, one a home run, in three times at bat.

Chicago .....030 060 10x—10 12 3
Brooklyn .....009 002 100— 6 10 1

Cheney and Needham; Kent, Yingling and Phelps; time 2:05; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Pittsburg, May 22.—Boston blanked Pittsburg today. Dickson pitched a masterly game for the visitors, only two local men reaching third base. O'Toole gave seven bases on balls and struck out eight batters.

Pittsburg .....000 000 000—0 5 2
Boston .....000 100 110—3 6 0

O'Toole, Camnitz and Kelly; Gibson, Dickson and Kling; time 2:00; umpires Owens and Brennan.

Cincinnati, May 22.—Mathewson was invincible today, holding Cincinnati to three hits, while New York hit Benton freely and won 6 to 1. Cincinnati made its lone score in the second inning on two hits and a sacrifice. After the third inning Mathewson pitched superb ball, retiring the locals in order for the next six innings.

New York .....002 002 110—6 12 1
Cincinnati .....010 000 000—1 3 1

Mathewson and Myers; Hartley, Benton and McLean and Clark; time 1:45; umpires Klem and Bush.

St. Louis, May 22.—After holding Philadelphia hitless for seven innings, Harmon gave up two hits in the eighth inning. These, together with a pass and an error by Mowrey, gave the visitors enough runs to win 3 to 2.

Philadelphia ....010 000 020—3 2 0
St. Louis .....000 100 010—2 4 4

Brennan and Killifer; Harmon, Geyer and Wingo; time 1:50; umpires Eason and Johnstone.

International League.

At Buffalo 5; Jersey City 7.
At Montreal 6; Providence 7; (10 innings.)
At Rochester 4; Baltimore 3.
2nd: Rochester 3; Baltimore 5.
At Toronto 7; Newark 3.

United States League.

At Pittsburg 5; Chicago 4.
No other games scheduled.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 0; Petersburg 2.
At Norfolk 6; Lynchburg 2.
At Danville 3; Newport News 6.
At Portsmouth 5; Richmond 1.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbia 1; Albany 0; (15 innings.)
At Jacksonville 1; Columbus 0.
At Macon 13; Savannah 1.
2nd: Macon 0; Savannah 4.

American Association.

At Milwaukee 1; Minneapolis 7.
At Louisville 5; Columbus 4.
At Indianapolis 3; Toledo 6.

Southern League.

At Chattanooga 11; New Orleans 6.
At Atlanta 3; Mobile 1.

Appalachian League.

At Cleveland 13; Bristol 2.
At Morristown 0; Johnson City 2.

College Games

At Cambridge: Brown 5; Harvard 4. (11 innings).
At West Point: West Point defeated the University of Michigan nine 12 to 4.

OHIO'S NEW CONSTITUTION

Final Session of the State Convention At Columbus

Columbus, Ohio, May 22.—The Ohio Constitutional Convention, which has been at work since the first of the year today began its final session. Only the final passage of 42 proposed constitutional amendments which were passed on second reading will be discussed.

Many of the important questions already debated may be re-opened. Initiative and referendum supporters announced that they will make a strong effort to place the direct initiative into the new constitution.

Another wrangle over the liquor license question is expected when the liberal element will attempt to take the limitation of one saloon to every 500 out of the proposed license amendment. Equally determined are many of the delegates to place a damper on the good roads proposal which provides for a bond issue of $50,000,000.

COTTON STEAMSHIP AFLAME

Six Streams of Water Are Sent Into The Hold of the Alexandrian

Mobile, May 22.—Fire is burning in the hold of the British steamer Alexandrian, Reid, master, 2,899 tons, loaded with cotton, lumber and naval stores for Liverpool, England. The fire was discovered last night.

Three streams of water from the loading wharf, three streams from the steamer and a stream of steam is being poured into the cargo. The steamer was to have sailed today at noon. The loss can not be learned until the cargo is discharged.

Norfolk, Va., May 21.—Lieut. Gov. J. Taylor Ellyson, who will preside at the opening of the State Democratic Convention in this city on Thursday, stated tonight that Virginia would send an uninstructed delegation to Baltimore. The Wilson followers will make a hard fight to have the convention instruct for the New Jersey Governor.

Marienette, Wis., May 22.—The consummation of a $1,000,000 lumber deal was announced today in the purchase by Edward Hines, of Chicago, of the entire cut of two mills owned by United States Senator Isaac Stephenson.

Paris, May 22.—George Carpenter, the middle-weight champion of England and France, tonight defeated Willie Lewis, the American middleweight pugilist on points. The fight went 20 rounds.

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St. Louis	9	19	.321
New York	8	18	.308

Philadelphia, May 22.—Philadelphia knocked two of St. Louis' pitchers off the rubber today and won the game 8 to 5.

St. Louis .....002 110 100—5 9 3
Philadelphia ....001 103 30x—8 10 1

Pelty, Hamilton, Baumgardner and Stephens; Coombs and Thomas and Lapp; time 2:15; umpires Dineen and Perrine.

Boston, May 22.—Boston batted Kaler hard today and favored by the "breaks" piled up nine runs while shutting Cleveland out. The batting of Gardner, Speaker and Hall featured.

Boston .....003 112 20x—9 15 1
Cleveland .....000 000 000—0 6 3

Hall and Nunemaker; Kaler and Easterly; time 1:26; umpires O'Loughlin and Westervelt.

New York, May 22.—The White Sox won the second game of their series with the Highlanders today, 11 to 5. Caldwell was knocked out of the box in the first and Quinn met the same fate in the sixth, while the Highlanders drove Lange off the mound in the fourth. Walsh held New York at his mercy for the remainder of the game. The Highlanders played a poor game in the field.

Chicago .....502 003 100—11 10 1
New York .....000 500 000— 5 11 8

Lange, Walsh and Sullivan; Caldwell, Quinn, Warhop and Sweeney; time 2:03; umpires Egan and Evans.

Washington, May 22.—Washington defeated Detroit today 5 to 4, Groom outpitching Willett. A three-base hit by Gainor with the bases filled featured the game.

Detroit .....000 103 000—4 5 3
Washington ....103 001 00x—5 7 4

Willett and Stanage; Groom and Henry; time 1:45; umpires Connelly and Hart.

CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Anderson, 6; Winston-Salem, 1.
At Greensboro, 1; Greenville, 4.
At Charlotte, 4; Spartanburg, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	17	7	.708
Anderson	15	7	.682
Spartanburg	13	11	.542
Greensboro	10	14	.417
Greenville	9	13	.409
Winston-Salem	7	18	.280

PREVENTED SERIOUS CLASH.

Lieutenants and Texas Rangers Turn Rebels Back to Mexico.

Fabres, Texas, May 22.—Details received today show that the cool judgment of a United States army lieutenant and the aggressive stand of two Texas rangers in the face of 200 Mexican rebels advancing on the American boundary line, probably prevented serious complications when troop B, Fourth United States Cavalry, turned the band of Liberal soldiers across the border here yesterday.

"Death to them" cried the Mexicans as they charged forward to a wagon road where Lieut. C. A. Dougherty and 35 men of troop B, had stationed themselves, their rifles pointed toward Mexico. C. E. Webster and Charles Moore, of the Texas Rangers, who have been accompanying the American troops on their border patrol, spurred forward.

"If you dare to come across this wagon road we'll arrest your whole army. This road is the boundary line," shouted Webster in Spanish to the advancing rebels, who formed into a fighting line. Webster demanded at the same time that the rebels send out their chiefs for parley. Cols. Jose Cordova and Charles Bustamente, in command of the rebels, who were moving on Guadaloupe, dismounted and came forward.

Lieut. Dougherty defined what he believed to be the American line and the rebel leaders turned their troops and headed eastward toward Guadaloupe.

NO POLITICS FOR THEM

National Manufacturers' Association Does Not Favor New Party

New York, May 22.—The proposal of President John Kirby, Jr. ,at the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers that the association go on record as favoring the creation of a new National political party, was quashed by the committee on resolutions which reported today without and reference to politics.

Mr. Kirby was re-elected president of the association today. Among the new members elected to the board of directors was C. A. Michael, of Roanoke, Va.

Resolutions were adopted by the convention supporting the judiciary and opposing the judicial recall; discharging employes who advocate violence against employers in strike or otherwise; the open-shop; the passage of more equitable rates on first and second-class mail matter; a workmens compensation act and defeat of the Dillingham immigration bill.

SUFFRAGETTES CONVICTED.

Mrs. Pankhurst and Editors of "Votes" Sentenced to Nine Months.

London, May 22.—The woman suffrage movement in Great Britain received a body blow today when Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, and Mr. and Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, joint editors of Votes, were all found guilty at the Old Bailey sessions today and each was sentenced to nine months imprisonment on the charge of conspiracy and inciting to malicious damage to property.

Judge Coleridge ordered the prisoners to pay the heavy costs of the trial.

As the defendants were removed, the women crowding the court passed and cheered.

If a man ever thinks seriously of marriage, it is after taking a hand in the game.

CARING FOR HOMELESS.

Federal and State Governments Have Charge of Flood Refugees.

New Orleans, May 22.—With the Mississippi river and tributaries steadily falling and no further disastrous crevasses in the levees anticipated, interest in the devastating flood that swept millions of acres of Louisiana's lowlands and stretches of fertile fields in Mississippi and southwest Arkansas now centers in the gigantic task of caring for the tens of thousands of people who have been made homeless. More than a million dollars in cash and a still larger amount in clothing and supplies have been expended for the refugees and there is almost a half million dollars in sight for their urgent needs.

From some sections of the flooded districts have come stories of distressing conditions, but the United States army relief corps and local relief committees have been prompt in every instance in dispatching food and medical supplies and today the condition of the various refuge camps are declared to be in fairly good condition. Only a few deaths have occurred among the refugees and every effort is being made to keep the camps in sanitary condition.

Out of approximately 170,000 persons who have been driven from their homes by the floods the United States army relief corps is dispening rations daily to nearly 140,000 and such of the others as need assistance are being cared for by local relief committees. The towns and cities in the hills have without exception almost thrown wide open their doors to the homeless folks and their pastures are given freely for the cattle taken from the lowlands.

Capt. James A. Logan, in charge of the army relief corps in this State, south of the Red river, has approximately 30,000 refugees under his care and tonight he reported that the health conditions in all camps are good.

The refugees under Capt. Logan's care are distributed at various cities and towns adjoining the overflowed territory in numbers ranging from 50 to 3,000.

Each of the larger camps is in charge of an army officer and Red Cross nurses and physicians are on duty.

There is approximately $400,000 of the army relief appropriations left and local relief committees have perhaps $40,000 in cash and supplies on hand. The combined sum probably will suffice for another two weeks and it will be necessary to raise several hundred dollars more to feed and properly care for the unfortunates.

W. P. BOLAND ON STAND

Testifies That Railroads Tried to Get His Coal Company

Washington, May 22.—With trembling voice, W. P. Boland, of Scranton, Pa., leading accuser of Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the Commerce Court, told the House Judiciary Committee today that the memory of his little girl had led him to fight the railroads and Judge Archbald.

About 1904, he said, his family was blessed with a little girl and she was named Mary. The Marion Coal Company, of which he is president, received its name, he declared, from the little girl, who is now dead. All day he had told of what he designated as a conspiracy of railroads to get hold of his coal company and of their alleged using of Judge Archbald for that purpose.

'I didn't like to see the word failure written over that name," testified Boland. "I could have made money in another business but I have lost money to save it."

After his cross-examination Boland was asked about the statement on the stand by Vice President George F. Brownell, of the Erie Railroad Company, that Boland might be subjected to perjury if he swore to statements he had made in his original charges to Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Meyer regarding the Erie Railroad.

"I didn't hear Mr. Brownell make the remarks, but if I had," declared Boland, "I would have told him that if my evidence resembled perjury as close as his did bribery, I would be glad to have the proper authorities prosecute me."

Boland testified that Attorney Geo. Watson, of Scranton, had told him that Judge Archbald could influence two other judges in the Commerce Court in favor of the railroads.

"Did he give you their names?" asked Attorney Worthington.

"Yes," replied the witness, who offered to communicate the names. Instead he was directed to whisper them to Attorney Worthington and Acting Chairman Floyd.

The committee adjourned until Monday without completing Boland's cross-examination.

FAIRMONT AND CHADBOURN

Five to Nothing Score Between Baseball Teams of These Towns

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fairmont, N. C., May 22.—In a one-sided game here today Fairmont defeated Chadbourn by a score of 5 to 0. Features of the game was the pitching of Thompson for Fairmont, striking out 13 men and allowing eight scattered hits. Devane, for Chadbourn, pitched good ball, striking out eight and allowing but two passes. Batteries, for Fairmont, Thompson and Jones; Chadbourn, Devane and Tate.

THEY ARE AFTER TYRUS COBB.

New York Gangsters Propose to Assault the Georgian.

New York, May 22.—Ty. Cobb may not play ball in New York until late in the season, if at all. His trouble with a spectator threatens to bring him into court, and Cobb has heard that gangsters are looking to square accounts with him for assault on a spectator. The New York club has guaranteed to give Cobb every protection inside the grounds.

Escapes An Awful Fate

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now." Quick and safe, its the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c. and $1. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy's.

THE CUBAN INSURRECTION.

Impossible to Form More Than Conjecture of Its Strength.

Havana, May 22.—In consequence of the vague and conflicting character of the reports from Oriente province, the main focus of revolutionary activity, it is almost impossible to form more than mere conjectures regarding the strength of the uprising. Esetimates from Oriente relative to the strength of the insurgents vary from 1,000 to 5,000. The first figure probably is nearest correct.

The first troop train arrived at San Luis Junction this afternoon. The force will proceed to Guantanamo and the others which have been dispatched will go to Santiago, with the intention of sweeping the region between the two cities, in which the rebel generals, Esteno and Veneret, are reported to be operating.

Secretary of the Interior Bru said that the government hoped to announce tomorrow that the rebellion in Oriente had been crushed. All the rebel bands, he added, in the remaining provinces, had already been dispersed and order completely restored. Apparently the only loss of life authentically established is the killing of two leaders of a negro band by rural guards in an encounter near Holguin. No destruction of property is reported in any part of the island.

Throughout Oriente a condition of panic prevails. The white planters and store-keepers and their families are taking refuge in the cities.

President Gomez has issued an order for the requisition immediately of 3,000 horses for army use. He also has promulgated a patriotic proclamation informing the people of the peril threatening the nation, announcing the government's determination to crush the insurrection as speedily as possible, and appealing to all Cubans to stand loyally by the government.

NEGRO SCHOOL FINALS

Assistant U. S. Attorney Speaks to Durham Colored Men

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., May 22.—Hundreds of prominent negroes from Raleigh, Greensboro and other places in the State attended the exercises tonight of the National Religious Training School finals. Hon. W. H. H. Lewis, assistant U. S. Attorney General, addressed the Literary Society and was given a pronounced ovation. His message was full of optimism, hope and cheer. He gave the audience a proper conception of education and especially emphasized that it meant true service to mankind. He said, "Remember as you go forth into the world as teachers and preachers that nothing is to be gained upon the past history of your race in this country. The present problems are sufficient and all engaging." A pertinent feature of his address was his wholesome advice to the audience.

FLURRY AT ANNAPOLIS.

Regiment Being Formed to Leave for Mexico in 12 Hours.

Annapolis, Md., May 22.—A flurry was created among the members of the marine garrison attached to the Naval Academy barracks here tonight when orders were dispatched to all marines in town on leave to report at the barracks at once.

It is said unofficially that a regiment is being formed to leave for duty on the Mexican border or in Cuba within the next 12 hours. It is said that the marines will leave in heavy marching order tomorrow morning.

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FINAL AT PEACE INSTITUTE

Graduating Exercises at Raleigh Yesterday—Wake County Legalized Primaries—Masonic Reports Submitted—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 22.—The commencement exercises of Peace Institute closed today with the award of diplomas and certificates to the graduates and the address to the graduates, the latter by Major J. C. Hemphill, the distinguished editor of the Observer, Charlotte.

Miss May Ray received a diploma from the school of art; Miss Elizabeth Howard, Tarboro, and Miss Patty Walser, Lexington, diplomas from the conservatory of music, and Misses Helen Julian, Thomasville; Nannie Jane Petteway, Tampa, Fla.; Katharine Wilder Rogers, Raleigh; Elizabeth Sparrow, Lowell; (first honor); Miss Cora Lee Montgomery, Monroe, diplomas from the academic department. The medals were awarded by Supt. F. M. Harper, of the city schools, and Dr. W. McC. White presented each of the graduates with Bibles, an established custom with this popular Presbyterian college for women.

Wake county legalized primaries for all parties are to be held June 1st and entries of candidates closed last night. It develops that the Democrats will have two candidates for the State Senate, J. C. Little, who has been out for several weeks, and S. Brown Shepherd, who only entered the lists last night.

The report of Grand Secretary J. C. Munds, of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons, showed a growth of 243 on the membership for the past year, the total membership of 43 chapters being 2,857. Three new chapters were installed. Grand Treausurer M. S. Willard's report showed $4,974 receipts for the year and a balance of $2,710 on hand.

The Republicans are to have two factional candidates for the State Senate in the legalized primaries. Col. J. C. L. Harris will represent the Roosevelt-Duncan element, and T. M. Franks the Taft-Butler faction. A. D. Upchurch, a Butler adherent, is out for the lower House. The Duncan forces have three candidates for the House named in convention recently.

Locomotive Engineer R. H. Seaward procured from the Supreme Court today an order for a new trial in the damage suit against Seaboard Air Line, in which a non-suit was entered in the trial below, the Supreme Court holding that there was evidence that the jury should pass upon. Seaward was dismissed from the Seaboard and Superintendent of Motive Power Poole reported to other railroad companies charges against Seaward that prevented him from procuring employment, charges including repeated suspensions for causing accidents and for other reasons; also there was a statement that Seaward had a damage suit for personal injuries pending. In this he later secured $1,250 in compromise settlement. Judge Brown dissented from the other justices of the Supreme Court, he insisting that the nonsuit should be sustained.

List of opinions delivered by the Supreme Court follow: Seaward vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, Wake, new trial; Carrison vs. Williams, Burke, no error; Chadwick vs. Kirkman, McDowell, no error; Roller vs. McKinney, McDowell, affirmed; Withrow & Chemical Co., vs. Southern Railway, Rutherford, no error; Ripley vs. Armstrong, Henderson, reversed; Parker vs. Vanderbilt, Buncombe, new trial; Deal vs. Tolbert, Caldwell, affirmed; Triplett vs. Stout, Wilkes, affirmed; Wilson Lumber Co., vs. Gragg, Caldwell, affirmed; Statterfield vs. Norfolk & Western Railway, Forsyth, affirmed.

A Wake Superior Court jury has just returned a verdict for $10,000 damages for the plaintiff in the case of Geo. B. Fleming vs. Norfolk Southern Railroad Co. Fleming sued for personal injuries, sustained in a wreck in August, 1910, within the Raleigh yard limits. He sued for $50,000. He was engineer on an incoming passenger train that collided with a yard engine, the engineer on which was attempting to get out to a siding without orders. The latter was killed. The railroad company claims that Fleming was running his passenger train too fast, else the wreck would not have occurred in spite of the recklessness of the yard engineer.

TO OMAHA FOR PRISONER.

Harold T. Pratt, Insurance Agent, Wanted at Newbern for Offenses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 22.—Chief of Police W. D. Rouse, of Dover, one of Sheriff J. W. Biddle's deputies, will leave tomorrow morning for Omaha, Neb., to take charge of Harold T. Pratt, the former Newbern insurance agent, who committed various offenses here, several months ago and left for parts unknown and who was captured in that city Tuesday morning. It was learned that Pratt refused to return to Newbern without extradition papers, and Officer Rouse will stop at Raleigh, and secure these from the Governor. Several days will be consumed in making the trip, and it will doubtless be the latter part of next week before Pratt can be brought to the city. It is understood that the charges against him will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Ogden, Utah, May 22.—The Weber Club, the commercial organization of this city, has sent Tyrus Cobb, of the Detroit Americans, an offer of $10,000 to manage the Ogden team in the Union Association League during the present season. The Weber Club has just obtained the local franchise.

Philadelphia, May 22.—Young Jack O'Brien, of this city, had a shade advantage over Knockout Brown, of New York, in a six round bout before the American Club tonight. O'Brien gave a clever exhibition of boxing, landing three blows to Brown's one, but they lacked force.

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SOME DRAINAGE PROJECTS

Representative Godwin Has Secured Surveys for Number of Districts

Washington, D. C., May 22.—Representative Godwin has received the following statement from A. C. True, director of the drainage office of the Department of Agriculture: "Complying with your telephonic communication of May 16th, relative to the drainage projects in your Congressional district and the area and location of such projects with which this office has been connected, I have the honor to submit the following:

Black and Jacob swamps, acreage, 32,850; cost, $142,621; Robeson county.

Flea Hill, acreage, 20,425; cost, $78,492; Cumberland county.

Beaver Dam, acreage, 7,500; cost, $16,065; Harnett county.

Chadbourn, acreage, 7,260; cost, $7,593.60; Columbus county.

Cape Fear river and Lyon swamp, acreage 18,000; cost, $43,577; Pender and Bladen counties.

Old rice lands, Orton plantation, acreage, 174; cost, $15,414.11; Brunswick county.

Abandoned rice lands of J. F. Garrel & Co., acreage 414; cost, $18,700; New Hanover county.

The above projects have been surveyed by engineers of the Division of Drainage Investigations and the cost indicated opposite each project is the volved in effecting the improvement in accordance with the plans prepared as the result if the survey.

The following list indicates projects of which this office has made a preliminary examination but has done nothing further:

Brown Marsh, acreage, 45,000; Bladen and Columbus counties.

Gapway Swamp, Columbus and Horry counties.

Hog Swamp, acreage, 15,000, Robeson county.

Suggs creek, acreage, 3,000, Cumberland county.

Turnbull Swamp, acreage, 3,000, Bladen county.

Copies of the reports on these projects can be secured, if desired, from this office.

Godwin is the drainage pioneer and through his efforts thousands of acres of rich swamp lands in his district have been reclaimed and are now in course of reclamation. He stands in with the drainage office here in Washington and is always able to send a corps of engineers to make surveys of proposed drainage districts free of cost or expense to the land owners.

NEWS ON THE POINT

Shipment of Truck and Outlook for Crop—Personal Items

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., May 21.—The shipment of beans will begin in earnest tomorrow. While the crop will be short owing to frequent cold rains they do not appear to be much specked, a condition that materially detracts from their market value. A few Irish potatoes will go forward the last of this week. Corn crop continues to look yellow and the bud, cut and other worms are yet taking heavy toll. The juicy huckleberry is making its appearance on the market and the pies, puddings and dumplings thereof are as toothsome as of yore.

This writer discovered recently an ancient bee gum or section of a bee tree in a smoke house that contained several gallons of honey so old as to become granulated. It is the correct thing to go with "old peach," new peach and peach mingled with butter makes an excellent sauce huck and peach "dumplings" or "roll-overs," old style.

Mr. T. P. Pearsall, one of Rocky Point's progressives, has erected recently waterworks and in connection therewith a drinking fountain for man and beast.——Mrs. Sarah Hopwood and daughter, Miss Emma, formerly of Bradford, England, are visiting the Point. She has traveled extensively and is a rare conversationalist. She says she has seen no section of the world that, taking everything into consideration, can touch the sandhills of North Carolina. Mrs. Hopwood is the mother of a celebrated English sculptor, Mr. James Hopwood, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who completed the Jeff Davis, Lee and Jeb. Stuart monuments that grace Monumental avenue in Richmond.

The berry shipments have almost entirely ceased, possibly a few dozen crates a day; prices raillied yesterday $3 in New York. The crop was entirely overestimated insofar as the yield is concerned. There is absolutely no bloom for crown crop. Many fields have been plowed up and planted to cotton and sweet potatoes.

Washington, May 22.—Speeches seconding the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for President will be made in the Chicago convention by Governor Hiram Johnson, of California; Henry Allen, of Kansas, a delegate at large from that State, and Senator Clapp, of Minnesota, according to information given out here tonight by close friends of Colonel Roosevelt. It is understood that several speakers from the Middle and Eastern States are also being considered for speeches to second the nomination.

Baltimore, May 22.—By a practically unanimous vote, the General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church today placed itself on record as favoring the continuation of the negotiations for the union of the three branches of Methodism. It was stipulated, however, that the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, should come to an agreement before the Methodist Protestant Church would merge itself with the parent church.

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MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

Higher Branches of Order Choose Leaders at Raleigh

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 22.—The Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, in session along with the Grand Commandery and the Grand Council, Royal and Select Masons, today elected officers for the next year as follows:

Grand High Priest—John E. Cameron, Kinston.

Deputy Grand High Priest—John T. Alderman, Henderson.

Grand King—A. S. Guerard, Asheville.

Grand Scribe—George S. Norfleet, Winston-Salem.

Grand Principal Sojourner—H. E. Reed, Concord.

Grand Royal Arch Captain—O. W. Spencer, Salisbury.

Grand Master of First Veil—R. H. Pickett, Wilmington.

Grand Master Second Veil—J. J. Phoenix, Greensboro.

Grand Master Third Veil—Edmund Gladmon, Southern Pines.

The Grand Council Royal and Select Masons elected officers as follows:

Most Illustrious Grand Master—Albert S. Guerard, Asheville.

Illustrious Deputy Grand Master—Henry C. Butler, Raleigh.

Grand Principal Conductor of the Work—S. R. Dunn, Kinston.

Grand Treasurer—Martin S. Willard, Wilmington.

Grand Recorder—James C. Munds, Wilmington.

Grand Captain of the Guard—Jos. F. Rhem, Newbern.

Grand Conductor of the Council—Reuben H. Pickett, Wilmington.

Grand Stewart—George S. Norfleet, Winston-Salem.

Grand Marshall—B. F. Hall, Asheville.

Grand Sentinel—R. H. Bradley, Raleigh.

The Grand Commandery elects officers tomorrow.

New York, May 22.—For sailing from New York December 26th, without a wireless operator, Capt. E. D. Johnstone, of the steamship Sabine, of the Mallory line, was fined $100 today by Judge Mayor, in the United States District Court. Capt. Johnstone pleaded guilty.

Boston, May 22.—By the favorable action of the Senate today Massachusetts is placed in line as the first State in the Union to ratify the amendment to the Federal constitution for the direct election of United States Senators. The vote was 30 in favor and none against.

WOMAN ESCAPES DREADFUL OPERATION

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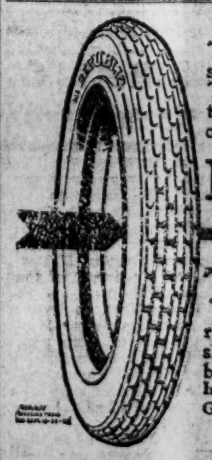

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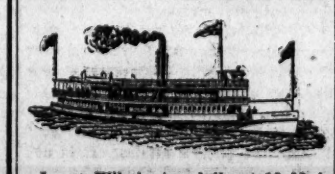

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Thursday, May 23, 1912.

The moth-ball season has no fans.

Those who have pipe dreams are always anxious for a puff.

If Teddy is the embodiment of "popular rule", why-er, we'd rather go fishing.

The Presidential campaign shows that men who go on a fishing frolic are not the biggest liars in the country.

A man may look wise and at the same time bite like a sucker at what somebody tells him is a mighty soft snap.

Democrats who want other Democrats to admire them must be the real thing and cut the peanuts out of the game.

A French aeronaut predicts that "we will be crossing the ocean in an aeroplane two centuries from now." We? Well, we hope so.

Cheer up! It is Georgia Democrats who have to put up with Tom Watson as the head of their delegation at Baltimore next month.

Somewhat after the language of Sam Jones, this is a time when every man should stand up on his hind legs and quit being a "Lizzie."

A man may be sharp, but he won't cut much ice in his effort to pull the wool over the eyes of a woman who is always from Missouri. They all have to be shown.

The only way for a man to do at all times is to take a firm stand and stay on the job without shifting his position when the push tries to move him in the wrong direction.

We have carefully read what Roosevelt and Taft have said about each other since they have come to blows. It corresponds with our previously formed and deliberate opinion about both of them.

In a plea for tolerance of the shortcomings of husbands, a pastor admonishes wives: "Don't expect angels' wings on your husbands in this world." Yes, there really is no reason for even suspecting anything of the kind.

The Rough Rider's hat may have been thrown in the ring with more than ordinary gusto and bumptiousness, but a big fat man finally got in the ring and kicked the hat around like it was no better than a Missouri "houn' dawg."

Thunder makes the most noise, but the quiet lightning does all the striking. At the same time, it is mighty curious how candidates who make a big noise are liable to make a tenstrike against the fellow who depends on a still hunt.

The highbrows who are to hold a conclave at Harvard with the fell purpose of raising cain about all manner of noise and bedlam, should explain that nothing sinister is meant in the way of putting the lid on any real candidate who goes about howling for "popular rule."

Says Col. Roosevelt: "We progressives stand where we did four years ago." That certainly is no prevarication, so far as the progressive Colonel is concerned. We are prepared to assert, asseverate, and reiterate, without crawfishing, that he stands exactly where he stood four years ago, and, furthermore, we are really satisfied that he actually stands where he did eight years ago. We know he stood pat then and our impression is that he stands "just where" he stood then. He stands for the same thing that George W. Perkins stands for.

WHO'S WHO FOR PRESIDENT?

Since "messed up" precinct meetings were held in a number of North Carolina counties and so-called primary elections were held in others, some papers are claiming that the result favors Wilson while others assert that it commits North Carolina to Underwood as the Democratic nominee for President. As a matter of fact, there is not a man in North Carolina who knows the actual result of the slipshod methods by which the Democracy of North Carolina is supposed to have expressed its will.

We find ourselves in the midst of the most important and serious Presidential contest this country has ever witnessed, and yet the Democrats of the State have no dependable method of making known their wishes as party sovereigns and American voters. We are dragging along behind the times, while Legislature after Legislature has met and adjourned without giving the State a legalized ballot primary for use of the political parties in making their nominations. The General Assembly has left the voters at the mercy of the precinct heelers and county machines, and when the extremely vital opportunity to select a winning candidate for President presents itself, the Democratic party is without the means and methods for showing just where it stands.

Nearly a week after the primaries, the result is still a matter of guesswork. The absurdity of such a situation is so manifest that it is useless to comment upon it. The ante-deluvian precinct meetings in New Hanover and the so-called primaries in counties like Buncombe furnish a far from illuminating example of the bunglesome party machinery in North Carolina. Buncombe had the advantage of New Hanover in having a make-shift for a primary election, but its value can be judged from this editorial from the Asheville Citizen of last Sunday, the day following the primaries:

"The Citizen thoroughly agrees with remarks made yesterday to the effect that as far as Buncombe county is concerned, and we may include other counties nearby, the so-called 'Presidential primaries' were more or less of a farce. From the reports at hand it would seem that in many county precincts there were no delegate's tickets and wherever they appeared, in city or county, there was nothing thereon to indicate with certainty that the names presented were those favoring Wilson or Underwood. As Congressman Gudger stated last night, 'It is probable that not fifty per cent of the voters had the slightest idea as to whom they were voting for. Similar expressions were heard all over the city yesterday and the whole procedure is somewhat of a joke.

"But that is not all. To make the situation still more ludicrous, it was found that in one particular instance the name of a prominent citizen appeared on both the 'Underwood' and the 'Wilson' ticket. Now, it stands to reason that the gentleman in question could not support both candidates, and the dear, innocent public must marvel at the inconsistencies of the modern primary.

"So, to obtain a fair, or as nearly fair as possible, expression of the public will, the matter of Presidential delegates to the State convention should be left with the county convention, where it was originally intended to lie, without reference to the farcical results of Saturday's primaries, which were unauthorized by any official body having powers to pass thereon. No State Legislature or State executive committee in North Carolina has yet passed on the question of 'preferential Presidential primaries.' Consequently, we are confronted with the spectacle of some counties in the State, perhaps less than half, holding preferential primaries, with the balance of counties doing nothing.

"While The Citizen favors Woodrow Wilson, it would not want his endorsement brought about by grotesque methods. If this county and State favors Underwood this paper will abide by the will of the majority, but let us have a popular expression about which there can be no question."

We will be pretty apt to have similar comments from the press all over the State, and the Democratic executive committee will not fail to recognoze how farcical is the mis-management or lack of arrangement for conducting the party's affairs. It is not at all creditable, and those who control the destinies of the party should sit up and take notice that decidedly better party government is demanded in this State. In commenting upon the result of the total inadequate and incompetent methods prevailing in the recent primaries, the Raleigh News and Observer remarks: "The present hybrid system is so loose and disjointed as to need to be displaced by a uniform law. Those who oppose primaries should suggest something better and should remember Jefferson's wise saying: 'The remedy for the evils of Democracy is more Democracy.'"

Those who oppose primaries cannot suggest anything better than a legalized ballot primary for each county and for the State at large—a uniform system strictly regulated by law. In fact, those who "oppose primaries" have no more ground for it than they have to oppose regular elections. The simple truth is that the only difference is that a regular election registers the will of all the people, while a primary election registers the will of the people of a party. The principle in the two is precisely the same, and to deny the wisdom of ballot primaries is to deny the wisdom of regular elections. Any system would be better than the abortion we now have.

The precinct meeting is an ancient absurdity. The "soap box" primary is a positive abortion. The Legislature which obstinately refuses to recognize the need of a legalized ballot primary lacks intelligence or is controlled by politicians who prefer to continue to play the game with the same old "stacked" deck of cards. As a means of getting at the will of the people, the precinct meeting is ridiculously primitive and absolutely crude. A slack-twisted primary election not carefully hedged about by law is but an apology for a nominating election safeguarded by laws which guarantee a free ballot and a fair count.

WILSON THE ELIGIBLE

The preliminary contests in the various States indicate that the masses favor Woodrow Wilson as the Democracy's nominee for President. We long ago noted that plain manifestation of public sentiment. The people are for him and that makes him a logical eligible. It makes him a strong candidate. He is strong with the Democratic masses and appeals to independents, and liberal Republicans. That makes him specially desirable as the Democratic nominee for President. Any person who carefully analyzes the situation, makes a study of the present temper of the masses of both parties, and figures on the possibilities of winning several Republican States is bound to come to the conclusion that the Democratic party would make a grave error in not seizing its opportunity to nominate Woodrow Wilson and stand a chance of winning.

We cannot elect any man President who cannot carry a few States heretofore Republican by only a small margin. The man who is strongest in the close States is Woodrow Wilson and the Democratic party will throw away its chances by nominating any other candidate and then depend upon educating the masses up to taking him. The masses already are for Woodrow Wilson and the primary contests that are free from machine manipulation indicate that beyond a reasonable doubt. Public sentiment, not the sentiment of politicians, is rapidly crystalizing in favor of Wilson, and the folly that some Democrats are guilty of is to try to resist a movement that is irresistible. Why should Democrats who want to win place themselves in the way of an irresistible force moving towards a definite and popular termination? Are not Democrats standing in their own light and frittering away the possibility of winning when they attempt to nominate any man who has not the quality of attracting popular support like the Democratic Governor of New Jersey? The same thing could be said of Underwood, or Harmon or Clark, if public sentiment were so irresistible in their favor as it evidently is for Wilson. If either Harmon, or Clark, or Underwood were the spontaneous choice of the people instead of Wilson, it would be folly not to nominate the one of them that would be so emphatically and conspicuously eligible.

When the National Democratic Convention assembles in Baltimore, it should survey the field with scrupulous care and pick the candidate who is most likely to carry Republican States with a Democratic tendency—a man who would, at the same time, be acceptable to States which are normally or strongly Democratic. The nomination of any candidate for whom popular support has to be won by a final appeal in the remaining days of the campaign would be to make the customary blunder in the presence of success. We hope the delegates who are going to Baltimore will think more of the possibilities of winning than they do of the fortunes of any special favorite.

The candidate who will have the least opposition in the doubtful States is the man to nominate. He may be Underwood, he may be Clark, he may be Harmon. As the lights are before us at present, the logical conclusion is that Wilson has the lead in his eligibility both in the popular imagination and in his qualifications for popular support. Those who, by trick ar machine methods, prevent an expression of the plainly evident popular will are playing a game for the usual defeat in November. The Star says this because it hopes more for the success of Democracy than it does for the mere triumph of Wilson. It would say the same for any other one of the able and distinguished Democrats who would demonstrate to us an eligibility and strength equal to that of the New Jersey executive.

The popular will in North Carolina is unmistakably for Wilson. It may be thwarted, but the Democrats, who, by hook or crook, bring about an abortion of public sentiment by the wiles or ordinary politics, are playing with wildfire. We believe some of that kind of work has been done in North Carolina, and it is a cause of astonishment to us that any kind of Democrat would seek otherwise than to honestly and fairly secure the absolute popular will concerning all the Presidential eligibles.

Talleyhand, the great diplomat, must have believed that "brevity is the soul of wit." A woman's husband died and he expressed his condolence in a note containing but two words: "Oh, Madame!" In less than a year she married again and he wrote this as his congratulation: "Ah, Madame!" He never slopped over when the woman lost her husband, so that when she got another he was in a position to say something apropos the occasion. A Wilmington man once mingled his tears with those of a friend whose wife had just died. In six weeks his friend got married—but remembrance of his former deep emotion made it inconsistent for him to pretend to rejoice at his friend's unbecoming haste in solacing himself with another wife. He was forced to dodge his friend in order to avoid the appearance of being a hypocrite who could cry one moment with his friend and then get gay with him in a space of time so brief that his tender sympathy had no chance to abate. This teaches us to be both sincere and prudent.

Because a bank refuses to discount a man's note is no sign that he can't use notes in a church choir.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Twentieth of May was pretty generally observed this year. At Raleigh elaborate exercises attended the unveiling of a tablet at the State capitol. At Wrightsville Beach there were appropriate exercises. The North Carolina Society at New York fittingly observed the day by enjoying a large banquet, at which a number of distinguished speakers were called upon. It is not amiss here to say that the speech of Chief Justice Walter Clark at the unveiling of the tablet at Raleigh was a masterful and most pleasing effort.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The "dry" South certainly makes a poor showing, from the law's viewpoint, in the Internal Revenue Department. According to the report of Commissioner Cabell, there were last year 901 illicit stills unearthed in Georgia, 420 in North Carolina, 249 in Alabama, 375 in South Carolina and 300 in Tennessee—an aggregate of 2,246 in those five States out of a total of 2,471 in the whole country. In other words, there were 125 more illicit stills discovered in South Carolina than in forty-two States and territories combined. What is the real significance, or what are the true causes of the condition reported?—Columbia State.

At the meeting last Saturday of the sub-committee of the Republican National Committee, having charge of all the preliminary arrangements for the convention in Chicago, Senator Elihu Root, of New York, was named as temporary chairman, which means that the convention will be organized by the Taft people, Mr. Root having committed himself fully to the support of the President, and against the Colonel. All the members of the sub-committee were present at the meeting on Saturday except Vorys, who was in the thick of th Ohio fight for Taft. Every one of the sub-committee is for Taft. Former Governor Franklin Murphy, of New Jersey, treasurer of the National Committee and a member of the sub-committee, said, "President Taft will be nominated on the first ballot; Mr. Roosevelt will bolt, will lead a third party and will be destroyed just as all such leaders have destroyed themselves in the past. President Taft will get at least twenty of the twenty-eight delegates from my State."—Charlotte Observer.

IN MEMORIAM.

Our city and commonwealth lament the decease of one of our noblest and best of men. The spirit of our revered fellow citizen, Colonel John D. Taylor, has returned unto God Who gave it, and the mourners go about the streets, and yet

"Nothing is here for tears
Nothing to wail,
Or knock the breast, no weakness
No contempt,
Dispraise or blame, nothing but
Well and fair
And what may quiet us in a
Life so noble."

A fellow townsman recently said to the writer: "I never passed Colonel Taylor upon the street without exercising the privilege of shaking his hand, because I believe that he exemplifies in his daily life, to a remarkable degree, those virtues which adorn the character of the Southern Christian gentleman."

His old time urbanity, his winsome smile, his almost womanly tenderness, his gentle patience, his childlike faith drew him to our hearts and we loved him. Probably no citizen of our community was more generally respected. There was a quiet dignity in this serene, devout Christian, which told of conflicts won while learning to endure hardness as a good soldier, and of a peace which passes the understanding of this world, which enabled him to look o'er heights of toil and sacrifice and find his chief meed in thoughts of duty done.

During his long and honored life he had inspired the hearts and guided the steps of worthy sons and daughters in the way of life, to the end that they might glorify God and enjoy Him forever. His children arise up and call him blessed.

In public life he discharged his official duties with diligence, ability, impartiality and uprightness. Party lines vanished in the pure light of his moral excellence and his return to office at the expiration of each term, without a dissenting vote, attested the abiding confidence of his fellow citizens.

Eminent among the local leaders of the Lost Cause, he believed, with his great chieftain, that Duty is the sublimest word in our language, "and by it as a pilot star, he ever steered his steadfast course." He went into his last battle at Bentonville with Company A., under Captain Rankin, Company B., Captain Taylor, Company C., Captain Brown, and Captain McDougal's Company, and a remnant of the 36th Regiment, in all 350 men; and he emerged with 19 survivors, an honorable record and an empty sleeve. Rankin, Taylor and McDougal were mortally wounded; Brown was desperately wounded; and Colonel Taylor was the only officer, with 19 men, who survived the desperate and bloody charge of the "Red Infantry."

He sheathed his sword, when the cause for which he fought was lost, but he put on that invisible armor of the Soldier of the Cross, and he has fought a good fight and laid hold of Eternal Life. The greater number of his devoted comrades have crossed over the river, and they rest with their commander under the shades of the trees.

We read that at the roll call of the flower of Napoleon's army, the Imperial Guard, as silence fell upon the utterance of a name which death had claimed from the arms of victory, a comrade would step forward from the ranks and, raising his hand in grave salute, would answer: "Died on the field of honor!" The thin, grey line of Appomattox, diminishing day by day as it yields to the call of the Great Conqueror, still closes up its broken ranks of hoary heads and feeble knees. Soon it will vanish away and there will be no reverent comrade's voice to answer the roll call of the dead.

But Death's truer name is Onward. "No discordance in the roll of that eternal Harmony, whereto the worlds beat time! The glory born of goodness never dies, and its flag is not half masted in the skies!"

In the Sessions of his beloved church, our friend will be greatly missed—in no circle beyond his beautiful home life was he more welcome than in that of the church of his fathers.

David Worth, DuBrutz Cutlar, Kenneth Murchison, William DeRosset, Alfred Waddell, John D. Taylor, classmates all at Chapel Hill, were of the flower of Wilmington, and they are gone; but to live in the hearts of those we love is not to die. "By the light of their lofty deeds and kindly virtues, memory gazes back into the past and is content; by the light of Revelation hope looks beyond the grave into the bright day of immortality and is happy."

A FRIEND.

IN MEMORIAM.

A Tribute to Col. John D. Taylor by a Colored Man.

I have just heard, with sad regret and sincere sorrow, of the death of Col. John D. Taylor, who passed away full of years and honors, cheered by the presence of his sorrowing children, and surrounded by devoted personal friends. Although we new that the fatal messenger must at some time come to him, as he will soon appear to us, we hoped his arrow would longer remain in his quiver and his visit longer be delayed. He was a true man, and a type of the nobler attributes of his race—a frank, free-hearted gentleman, fulfilling all the duties of life with conscientious fidelity and leaving behind him the fame of an industrious public servant, cheerful encouraging and helpful advice, and to scatter a wealth of golden sunshine into the lives of others. But his sun has set; not in the effulgence of noonday ife, but in the evening calm and stillness, when "coming events" signal their approach, and the luminous, yet soft and mellow tints are thrown in beauteous rays upon the reflecting sky.

"Oh! how blest
To look from this dark prison to that shrine,
To inhale one breath of Paradise divine,
And enter into that eternal rest
Which waits the sons of God."

THOMAS H. KNIGHT.

WILL BE UNINSTRUCTED

Virginia Democratic Convention Will Elect 24 Delegates Today

Norfolk, Va., May 22.—The advance guard of the Democratic State Convention which meets here tomorrow for the election of Virginia's 24 delegates to the Baltimore convention, arrived today in large numbers. Headquarters have been opened up by the Wilson, Clark and Underwood supporters. Present indications are that Virginia's delegation will go uninstructed, but efforts will be made to put through a Wilson preferential resolution.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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HEAVY SENTENCES IMPOSED

Negro Man and Woman Found Guilty of Selling Whiskey Given Year Each on County Roads and Farm—Other Cases.

Two of the heaviest sentences imposed in the Recorder's court for violations of the prohibition law in many months were meted out yesterday morning to Richard Rollins, colored, and his wife, Annie Rollins, the man being given a straight year on the county roads and the woman a like period on the farm. Both gave notice of appeal, and the court fixed bonds at $500 each. It is thought that the couple will hardly be able to raise the $1,000 required, and that they will have to remain in jail until court convenes or serve their time.

The evidence against the couple was overwhelming, a number of witnesses giving damaging testimony. Rufus Howe, who boarded at the Rollins home, told how he had informed the police that the place was a "blind tiger." He reported the matter to Patrolman J. L. Jordan, who in turn made report to the chief. Plainclothes Officer Coleman searched the house and found 140 bottles of whiskey and beer. Chief of Police John J. Fowler stated that he had ascertained that the Rollinses had taken out a United States retail liquor license.

Rufus Howe, the negro boarder, testified that he had bought whiskey and beer from the man and Middleton Hankins, a white youth in short trousers, said that he had bought whiskey at the house regularly until he quit drinking. Another small boy, hardly over 12 years of age, testified that he had frequently purchased whiskey from the woman.

Prosecuting Attorney Geo. L. Peschau made a strong plea for a heavy sentence in each case, stressing the fact that the evidence had shown the man and woman to be the worst offenders that had been brought before the court. For the defendants, Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., asked that justice be tempered with mercy. He asked that the man and woman be allowed to enter pleas of nolo contendere, as a large number of alleged blind tigers had been allowed to do in this city, and plead with the court to allow his clients the same mercy that had been shown others. Recorder Furlong, however, stated that the case was the worst that had been brought to his attention, and he accordingly sentenced the man to 12 months on the county roads and the woman to 12 months on the county farm.

In the case charging Policeman J. F. Jordan with an assault on a female, Mrs. Garfield Mason, a nol pros with leave was taken. It was alleged that the officer, in placing Mason under arrest, shoved Mrs. Mason to one side, causing her to fall. The defense asked for a trial, but the prosecuting attorney stated that the State had been unable to secure any additional evidence and was unable to make out a case.

Jake Cohn, a Russian, was found guilty of disorderly conduct, and judgment was suspended on payment of costs. James Henery Shepard, a colored boy, was found guilty of an assault with a knife upon Roy Taylor, another negro, but the case was not of an aggravated nature and judgment was suspended on payment of the costs.

Alfred Jones, colored, charged with firing a pistol in the city limits, was found not guilty. Two drunks were taxed fines and costs.

FUNERAL OF COLONEL TAYLOR

Services Will Be Held From First Presbyterian Church Today

The funeral of Col. John Douglas Taylor, whose death occurred Tuesday evening, will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, from the First Presbyterian church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. Throughout yesterday and last evening friends called at the saddened home to extend their sympathy and offer condolences to the bereaved. The flag at the Court House was at half mast all day as a mark of respect to Colonel Taylor, who was for 22 consecutive years Clerk of Superior Court, resigning on account of ill health only a few weeks ago. The offices at the Court House will be closed during the funeral this afternoon. Gen. Jas. I. Metts, commander, yesterday issued a call for members of Cape Fear Camp, United Confederate Veterans, to assemble at the W. L. I. armory at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of Colonel Taylor in a body.

HOLLANDERS ARRIVE

Several Colonists Purchase Property In This Section of State

The Holland-American Line steamer, "Rotterdam," which arrived in New York this week brought additional settlers for the Van Eeden colony on the Wilmington & Weldon road.

Mr. A. Alta and his wife, accompanied by Mr. Van Veen, were the new settlers who reached Wilmington yesterday and they have gone to Van Eeden to inspect the property. It is possible that this family may decide to join the group of Hollanders at Castle Haynes, but probably they will join the new colony at Van Eeden.

Mr. Alta is a young man but an expert gardener and provided with ample capital to make his venture in America a success. Mr. Van Veen is also a married man but came over alone to get settled when he expects to send for his wife and two children. Mr. Van Veen is an experienced florist and truck farmer.

Want List of Delegates

Mr. George Harriss, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, requests that the precinct committeemen send to him as early as possible a certified list of the delegates elected from their respctive precincts to the county convention to be held Saturday. He says that it is important that the names of the delegates be handed in a day or two before the convention and he hopes that the committeemen will comply with the request today. He has received the list from only one Ward, the Third.

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ADDITIONAL OFFER WITHDRAWN

Cape Fear Club Considered Two Bids On Property on Tuesday Night

It was learned yesterday that when members of the Cape Fear Club met Tuesday night to consider an offer for their property on the northwest corner of Front and Chesnut streets, an additional offer was put before them, which, however, was withdrawn when the club failed to act. The first offer was made some time ago and the exact amount has never been definitely announced, though it is understood to have been in the neighborhood of $100,000. The additional offer placed before the club Tuesday night was made by the real estate and insurance firm of Wilder & Metts and was accompanied by a certified check for $5,000. The offer was $101,500 with the stipulation that the new owners be given possession by January 1st, 1912. The offer also carried the agreement that a 12 or 15-story building would be erected at a cost of not less than $300,000 and that the two upper floors would be rented to the club for a home if so desired. A private electric elevator was to have been provided for the club.

The members of the club took no action on the matter, adjourning to meet again on May 31st to further consider the offers. Col. John VanB. Metts, of Wilder & Metts, stated last night that the offer made by his firm had been withdrawn. He stated that he was not at liberty to give the name of parties for whom the agency was acting.

It is persistently rumored that the Southern National Bank is the first bidder on the property and that its offer still holds. It is probable that if such is the case and the offer is accepted the bank will erect a handsome new home on the club property.

CLOSING AT GREGORY NORMAL

Commncement Exercises Came To An End Last Night—Programme

The closing exercises at Gregory Normal Institute, colored, which have been in progress since last Friday, came to an end last night when the commencement exercises proper were held in the Christ Congregational Church, at which time diplomas were awarded the members of the graduating class.

The exercises last night were largely attended. Rev. M. L. Baldwin opened the programme with the invocation. Following the rendition of several musical numbers, the salutatory was given by Mabel A. Mumford, the class history by Nellie I. Odam, the class prophecy by Sadie L. Holt, the class will by Ada C. McKoy, and the class poem by Nellie E. Wade. Prof. G. E. Davis delivered the address and Felice L. Sadgwar the valedictory. Diplomas were presented to the following: Sadie Holt, Ada Caroline McKoy, Mabel Agnes Mumford, Nellie Inez Odam, Felice LeRoy Sadgwar and Nellie Eloise Wade.

The baccalaureate sermon was preached Sunday by Rev. A. J. Tate. Tuesday night a very successful operetta, "The Dairy Maid's Supper," was given by the grammar department.

The exercises bring to a close a most successful year's work at the Normal Institute. The school is located at Seventh and Nun streets. Prof. F. W. Fletcher is the principal.

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE

Young Man Committed Suicide at Lake Waccamaw Yesterday

G. C. Campbell, a young white man, about 27 years old, of Mecklenburg county, employed by the Western Union Telegraph Co., as steward on the camp car used by linemen stringing another wire between this city and Florence, S. C., while alone in the car at Lake Waccamaw, yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, shot himself in the right temple with a revolver, death resulting instantly. He was found a few minutes later. The coroner of Columbus county was summoned to view the remains. The body will be taken to Charlotte and from there to the former home of the deceased for interment.

No reason has as yet been assigned for the deed, though it is believed that he was temporarily insane. He had been acting rather peculiar for several days and it seemed that melancholia had marked him for its own, though none of his associates on the car ever dreamed that such a thing as taking his life had entered his head. He left no note so far as could be learned here.

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: American Union Association to Sarah Andrews, for $26, lot on southwest corner of Seventh and Marsteller streets, 33x77 1-2 feet in size; Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Co., to A. W. Pate, for $10,000, lot on northeast corner of Fanning and Dickinson streets, 330x330 feet in size, also lot on Anderson street ,adjoining above property; by another deed A. W. Pate transfers above property to City of Wilmington, for $13,500; B. O. Stone and wife to L. D. Gainey, for $2,000 and other considerations, lot on Wooster, 55 feet east of Seventh street, 75x132 feet in size; Jno. E. Taylor and others to Joshua H. Tucker, for $300, lot on southwest corner of Wood and Fanning streets, 33x97 1-2 feet in size; Burke H. Bridgers to Jos. J. Loughlin and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Carolina Heights, on Chesnut, 264 feet east of 18th street, 66x165 feet in size; Burke H. Bridgers to Eliza D. Metts, for $10 and other considerations, lot in Carolina Heights, on Chesnut, 330 feet east of 18th street, 66x165 feet in size.

—Out of respect to the memory of Col. John D. Taylor there will be no session of the Recorder's court today.

—Mrs. L. P. Sneeden, of Norfolk, Va., is on a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. J. Southerland, 820 Dock street.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

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COUNCIL ADOPTS BUDGET

Appropriations for Year, Exclusive of Water and Sewerage Department, Amount to $266,302—Tax Rate Is $1.75

Council in regular session yesterday afternoon ratified the agreement reached at a conference a few days ago to fix the ad valorem tax at $1.75 for the next fiscal year, an increase of 45 cents over the rate for the present fiscal year, and adopted the budget for the ensuing year, carrying a total appropriation of $266,302, not including the operating department of the water and sewerage, which, it is expected, will be self-sustaining, this being an increase over last year for all departments of about $35,000, though $18,000 of this is interest on improvement bonds sold during the year.

Members of Council stated that it was estimated that the revenue from the ad valorem tax at $1.75, special license tax, etc., would fully cover the amount of the appropriation for the year. There was no reduction of salaries, though the matter was incidentally discussed. It was decided to give the privates in the fire and police departments a small increase, $2.50 a month, the increase in the aggregate amounting to about $1,800. The salaries of the other officials and employes remain the same as the present fiscal year. The annual election of officers did not take place yesterday, but it is presumed that the same men who are now in office will continue until the end of the present administration, one year hence.

The appropriation for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1913, as decided upon by Council yesterday, follows:

General Expense Account—Salaries, Councilmen, $9,500; clerk and treasurer, $2,100; tax collector, $1,800; attorney, $2,000; assistant city attorney, $1,200; stenographer, $720; janitor, $840; special officer, $1,200, a total of $19,360, for salaries under this head, fuel, lights, etc., $700; tax listing, $300; library, $1,700; repairs, City Hall, $200; furniture and fixtures, $300; insurance, City Hall and opera house, $200; stationery and incidentals, $1,000, a grand total under head of general expense account of $23,760.

Police—Salaries, chief, $1,800; captains (two), $1,020 each; sergeants (four), $894.25 each; 32 privates, $27,363, a total for salaries of $32,882. Uniforms, $1,700; detectives, $2,000; military, $600; horses, $500; keep of teams, $2,000; repairs of harness and vehicles, $150; fuel, lights, etc., $300; incidentals, $500, a grand total for the police of $40,632.

Fire—Salaries, chief, $1,550; assistant chief, $1,000; foreman (two), $840 each; assistant foreman (six), $750 each; engineers and foreman (three), $920; 24 privates, $17,270, a total in salaries of $28,760. Uniforms, $1,100; alarm system, $2,000; repairs, houses, $500; repairs, engines, hose, harness, etc., $500; keep of teams, $2,400; fire boat, $1,000; fuel, lights, ice, etc., $950; new equipment, including auto trucks, $5,100; incidentals, $400, a total for the department of $42,710.

Street Cleaning and Repairs—Superintendent, $1,400; laborers, 40 at $9 a week, and four at $10 a week, $2,181, a total for salaries of $21,581. Keep of teams, $4,320; drainage, $1,000; material for street repairs, $2,000; new stables, $2,000; new teams, $1,200; repairs, carts, harness, etc., $750; street sweepers (three), $1,000; incidentals, $500, a total for the department of $34,351.

Water and Sewerage—Salaries, superintendent, $1,800; assistant superintendent, $1,200; engineer, $1,800; clerk, $624; meter inspector, $900; chemist, $900; fireman, $1,200; filterman, $650; laborers, $3,300, a total in salaries of $12,374. Keep of teams, $400; repairs, buildings, $250; repairs, machinery, $600; repairs, pipes, etc., $750; fuel, lights, etc., $7,500; insurance $250; incidentals, $500, a total for the department of $23,624, which amount is not given at all in the grand total as it is estimated that this department will be self-sustaining as it has been in the past.

Street Lighting—Arcs, 129, at $60, $7,740; Tungstens, 123, at $23, $2,829; arches, 44, at $87.50, $3,850; gas, 144, at $25, $3,600; extension, $500; incidentals, $100, a total for street lighting of $18,619.

Health Department—Salaries, superintendent of health, $2,000; dairy inspector, $600; clerk, $600; inspectors, $4,920, a total for salaries of $8,120. Hospitals and care of sick, $8,600, this including $1,500 for tuberculosis hospital; disinfectants, $1,000; contagious diseases, $500; uniforms, $210; removal of slops, $3,000; incidentals, $100, a total of $21,530.

Markets—Clerks and janitors, one at $50 a month and one at $8.33, $700; repairs, $500; fuel, lights, etc., $300; insurance (36), $100; new buiuudings, $3,000; incidentals, $100, a total of $4,700.

Bond and Interest Account—Coupons: General, $35,000; water and sewerage, $22,500; street improvements, $18,000, a total of $75,500; sinking fund, $3,500, a total of $79,000.

The following is the summary of the appropriations: General expenses, $23,760; police, $40,632; fire, $42,710; street cleaning and repairs, $35,351; water and sewerage, $23,624; street lighting, $18,619; health department, $21,530; markets, $4,700; bond and interest account, $79,000, a total, exclusive of the amount for the water and sewerage, of $266,302.

The proposition to decrease the salaries of the Councilmen was brought up by Councilman Perdew and though it was discussed for several minutes and each Councilman gave his views on the question, none of the spectators thought that there would be any change from the amount paid the Councilmen this year. Councilman Perdew said that he favored a decrease in the salaries, and Mayor Smith was somewhat inclined to agree with Mr. Perdew that a little shaving down would not hurt.

Councilman P. Q. Moore said that he wanter "to ring clear" on the proposition, wanted his position clearly understood, and that was that so far as P. Q. Moore was concerned he would vote $1,900 for the next fiscal year. He said that he was giving practically all his time to the city and that he did not consider his services worth a cent less than he is getting. On the contrary, that if Council should vote to decrease the salaries, his along with the others, that Council would have the pleasure of selecting a successor for supervision of the extensive street improvement work that is now going on. However, Councilman Moore conceded that it was "up to" each Councilman to devide what he was worth to the city and he made the point that if there were any who gave only a few hours a week to the city and felt that they did not earn the salary, then that he would be the last person in the world to criticise them for saying to the city that they would not take the full amount offered them.

Councilman B. C. Moore said that he thought all members should share alike in salary; that he himself did as much work for the city as any other member and perhaps had more perplexing problems to worry him, but that the people expected a reduction and he for one was willing to vote a substantial decrease in salaries of the Councilmen.

Councilman Tiencken felt about the same as Councilman P. Q. Moore said he felt and asserted that he would not vote to receive less than $1,900 for what he is doing for the city. He said that he is giving about two-thirds of his time to the city and that he did not think he was any too well paid for his services.

With Council apparently three to two in favor of the proposition, it appeared on the surface that there would be a reduction in salaries, but after some further discussion the question was rather abruptly passed over and other items in the budget were considered.

When the appropriation for the police and fire departments was reached Councilman B. C. Moore urged that Council grant an increase to the privates in both departments. It was voted to give an increase of $2.50 a month. This makes a total increase for the two departments of about $1,800. The privates in the police department will now receive about $70 a month, it was stated.

Councilman Moore stated with reference to the health department, that if he stayed within the appropriation, he would ask the privilege later of raising the salaries of the sanitary police in keeping with the increase granted the privates in the police and fire departments. Dr. Nesbitt also made a strong plea for an increase in the salary of the sanitary officers, saying that because of the failure of the city to give an increase that he would lose three of his best men today or tomorrow and stressed the fact that this is a season of the year when experienced health officers are needed and when his department has not the time to "break in" new men. Dr. Nesbitt called attention to the fact that economy in the health department, when at the expense of efficiency, is paid for in widows' tears and in dead babies, saying that more than 200 babies have died since the present administration came in, and nine deaths have resulted from typhoid fever, which he has labored so faithfully to stamp out. Dr. Nesbitt impressed Council with the fact that the health department could not be neglected, but that the work as already undertaken must be continued.

While no action was taken it seemed to be the sense of the meeting that the salary of Officer Mathers, of the health department, who is also a civil engineer, and at present plumbing inspector, will be increased, probably within the next few weeks.

The annual report of Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, superintendent of health, was submitted. It covers a large number of typewritten pages and gives in detail the work of the department for the past year as well as much statistical information of value. The report was not read, owing to its length, but it is likely that it will be printed in pamphlet form and distributed by the city. The statement was made in the report that the death rate has decreased from 29.36 to 24.49 the past year, which is within itself some evidence that the departmeit is at work along the right lines.

It was stated that Mr. J. M. Woolard, who had a contract with the city to do certain grading, paving, etc., but was held up by injunction last Saturday by Mr. C. R. Humphreys, who claims to have become a partner of Mr. Woolard after the latter made the contract with the city, had stated that he is willing to surrender his contract with the city. It was said at the meeting that if the contract is surrendered then the city can proceed pretty soon to finish the work undertaken.

Councilman B. C. Moore said that by his instructions Policeman R. J. Thompson, who was shot last Saturday night, was placed in a private ward at the James Walker Memorial Hospital and not in a charity ward. A bill was received yesterday from the institution for one week's services. Members of Council expressed themselves pretty freely with regard to the management of the hospital in sending in the bill, when it is recalled that the city appropriates $6,000 a year to the institution. No action was taken toward paying the bill and the hospital authorities will be notified that they will be expected to give the officer the very best attention and that no bill to be paid for the same.

Capt. Leta Potter appeared before Council and mentioned the service of his boat the Castor in putting out the fire at the Acme Tea Chest Co., a few days ago. He said that he would be willing to accept any amount for the service the city saw fit to pay and left with Councilman B. C. Moore a blank bill to be filled out by him. He also mentioned the fact that he had offered to give the city fire boat service day and night, having two boats, the Reliance and the Castor, one of which could be kept on duty all the time. This service would cost the city about $400 a month. Councilman Moore promised to confer further with him regarding the matter.

It was decided to advertise immediately for bids for furnishing two automobile fire apparatus to cost about $10,000 or $12,000. The bids will be opened in about ten days. A representative of one of the companies manufacturing apparatus of the kind was present at the meeting yesterday.

In the final consideration of the tax ordinance, Councilman B. C. Moore asked that a tax be provided on social clubs and called to a second reading of the ordinance offered by him at the last regular meeting. This ordinance provides a tax of $100 for each club and $2 for each member and placing the clubs under certain restrictions, and gives to the police department the right to search the places at will. There are a great many clubs in Wilmington that would be affected by the ordinance to the extent of the tax, if no more. Councilman Tiencken said that if Council could license clubs to sell whiskey that it could tax the ordinary "blind tigers". Councilman Moore said that the proposed ordinance would not interfere with any legitimate clubs, other than the payment of the tax. It was finally decided to pass the tax ordinance without this measure, which may be introduced and adopted later.

A petition from citizens living on Walnut street, between Front and Seventh, asking that the thoroughfare be improved, was referred to Councilman P. Q. Moore, who promised to hold a conference with the citizens in the near future. He agreed that the street must be improved, the only question being when it can be reached.

It is understood that the health department's appropriation is about $5,000 less than was asked for and that as a result the work will be seriously hampered. The work of exterminating mosquitoes and flies cannot be resumed and no provision has been made for medical inspection of children in the schools.

Open on Sunday.

The following persons, most of whom are Greek confectioners, were granted restaurant license, which gives them the privilege to remain open on Sunday, but they will not be permitted to sell fruits, ets., though they may dispense soft drinks, etc.: Mavronicolas Bros, 119 Market; N. Parlannas, 403 North Front street; Angelos Prosepes, 705 North Fourth street; John Phillips, 203 Princess street; N. Coestella, 112 South Front street; Pete Staffo, 503 North Fourth street; P. Patelo, 721 North Fourth street; J. W. Lewis, soft drinks, 1302 Castle street; W. P. Parvell, soft drinks, southwest corner Seventh and Ann streets; E. L. Burns, soft drinks, Seventh and Dawson. The licenses were granted upon the recommendation of Councilman B. C. Moore. The following were disapproved by him and were not granted:

J. C. Chesnut, soft drinks, Sixth and Campbell streets; Thos. A. Wall, soft drinks, Eighth and Red Cross; C. Peterson, restaurant, 1511 North Fourth street; Thos. A. Daily, soft drinks, Fifth and Red Cross; Mack Smith, restaurant, Fourth, between Brunswick and Bladen; G. W. Bullard, soft drinks, 12th and Wright; Henrietta Artis, soft drinks, Sixth and Campbell streets; A. C. Whitehead, soft drinks, Second and Davis streets; W. H. Holmes, restaurant, 506 Campbell.

V. Cammeriero was granted license to conduct a restaurant at No. 1002 North Fourth street. Philip Karakisos was refused license to conduct a lunch room at No. 305 North Front street, in the old Y. M. C. A. building. Councilman P. Q. Moore and Councilman Tiencken voting in favor and Mayor Smith and Councilmen B. C. Moore and Perdew against it.

A communication was received from Chief of Police John J. Fowler urging upon Council the importance of immediate passage of the proposed automobile law. However, it was decided to wait until a subsequent meeting to take up the measure.

Application of L. Shepard to sell meat at No. 817 North Sixth street was granted, as was also the application of Wilder Wahr for a junk dealers' license at No. 103 1-2 South Front street.

To Southport and to Sea

The public will hail with delight the announcement that the steamer Wilmington will make another of those delightful trips to Carolina Beach, Southport and to sea as far as the whistling buoy on next Sunday, leaving the city at 10 A. M., and returning, reach the city at 5:30 P. M. The fare to the beach will be only 25 cents the round-trip, and to Southport and to sea only 50 cents.

—Mounted Officer R. J. Thompson, who was shot and seriously injured by a negro Sunday morning, continues to improve. It was stated at the James Walker Memorial Hospital last night that he was resting very easily and that his condition is considered very satisfactory.

One of the Oldest and Best Known Banking Institutions of Wilmington

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

U. S. Government Depository.
Corner Front and Princess Streets.

A BUSY, SUCCESSFUL BANK.

NEW Depositors and New Business Come to this Bank every day because the Service and Safety we offer makes for success and satisfaction. We shall be glad to have YOU Bank with us.

4% Interest Compounded Quarterly Paid on All Accounts.

$1,600.00 LOST!

"Kershaw, S. C., May 9.—Fire which destroyed Mrs. Alberta Kees' cottage at midnight last night consumed sixteen hundred dollars in currency which she had in a shot box in a closet."

In this case, not only a loss of interest, amounting to $64.00 per year, but the whole principal gone up in smoke!

This bank offers a safe depository for savings, and allows 4 % interest, compounded quarterly.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

Princess Street, between Front and Second

Oldest, Largest and Strongest North Carolina Savings Bank.

CITY BUYS PROPERTY

Purchases Large Tract for Use In Storing and Unloading Materials

Mr. A. W. Pate yesterday completed the sale to the City of Wilmington, for a consideration of $13,500, the old tobacco warehouse property, in block 285, bounded by Dickinson, Anderson, Moore and Fanning streets, about 330x330 feet in size, and also a smaller tract in block 284 adjoining, mention of which has previously been made. The deal has been pending for some time, and City Council several weeks ago authorized Councilman P. Q. Moore, in charge of the Department of Streets and Wharves, to purchase the property. It was held up for a short time pending the adjustment of the title, and the deal was not finally closed until yesterday. Mr. Pate purchased the property from the Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Company.

The city will use the property for storing materials shipped here for street work, municipal supplies, etc., and it is understood that a large saving can be made in demurrage charges thereby. Councilman Moore figures that he can save the total purchase price of the property in several years time.

Funeral of Mrs. Vasty Redd

The funeral of Mrs. Vasty Redd, whose death occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital late Tuesday night, was held yesterday afternoon from the Masonboro Baptist church and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. Rev. A. C. Chaffin, pastor of the church, conducted the services. Interment was made in the churchyard burying ground. The pallbearers were Messrs. E. Stokely, Walter Farrow, Richard Farrow, W. S. Craig, Jr., H. Kirkeham and I. Farrow.

"Little Boy Blue"

Interesting little juvenile baseball story at The Grand Theatre today. **

Pound of Solid Flesh Daily

Money Positively Refunded if This Scientific Treatment Fails To Do All That Is Claimed For It.

SAMOSE, a Concentrated Flesh Forming Food, the Only Remedy Known for Thinness—Builds Up the Thin and Weak, Brings Back the Rosy Blush of Health to Pale Cheeks, Rounds Out the Scrawny Form and Gives the Beauty Lines of Plumpness.

TO PALE, THIN PEOPLE.

Offer to Pay for Samose if It Does Not Make Thin Folks Fat.

Pale, thin people are simply suffering from want of nourishment. They may eat enough, but their food is not properly digested, and does them no good.

Samose, the remarkable flesh-forming food, should be used by all who are pale, weak and thin. It mingles with the food and aids assimilation, so that when taken for a short time Nature will soon assert her normal powers and the food that is eaten will give strength and good flesh.

Weigh yourself before you commence the use of Samose, and you will notice a steady gain. Samose is a scientific flesh-forming food that restores the thin and scrawny to their proper weight, and fills the weak and debilitated with vigor and vitality.

The woman who longs for rosy cheeks and the plumpness of beauty should use Samose. The man who wants to be strong and well and gain health and good flesh will find his desires accomplished by Samose.

Such remarkable results have followed the use of Samose that J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. is willing to pay for the treatment if it does not give the desired results. They make this offer generally and want all who are weak, thin or out of health to get a box of Samose on those terms.

THE FATNESS OF HEALTH.

Samose Fills Out the Curves and Makes Thin People Fat.

If you are thin your health is not what it should be. If you are losing weight steadily, there is something wrong that should be attended to at once. You cannot be healthy and strong if you are thin.

Perfect health and good, solid, beautiful flesh can only come through the use of Samose, the remarkable flesh forming food.

This makes the thin and scrawny plump and robust; it mixes with the food so that all of the elements that make solid bone, firm muscle and good flesh are thoroughly assimilated and retained in the system.

Samose is not a drug or stimulant, it is a scientific flesh forming food that restores thin people to a normal condition of good, healthy flesh.

There are thousands of unhappy, nervous, thin people who would look and feel entirely different if they were only fat and plump. Let them use Samose and they will soon notice remarkable results.

These statements are confirmed by J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.'s offer to refund the money to any one buying and using Samose, who does not gain in weight as promised. The risk is all theirs. The thin and scrawny can buy Samose at J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.'s store with the knowledge that if it is not successful it will cost absolutely nothing.

A LIBERAL OFFER.

Any One Can Try Samose, the Remarkable Flesh Forming Food.

When one of the leading drug stores in Wilmington tells you that they have a preparation on which they will refund your money if it does not do all that is claimed for it, shows that the article must have unusual merits. It is in this way that J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. sells Samose, the remarkable flesh forming food.

This great discovery is destined to work a great revolution in treating the thin, the weak and the sick. There can be no doubt that it helps people who are weak and sickly, who are tired and who have poor digestion, restoring them quickly to health and strength, and increasing the weight so that life is a pleasure and a joy.

Samose is in reality a concentrated food, and restores life and vitality at once to the blood. It mixes with the ordinary foods and aids digestion; it extracts from the food that you eat the flesh forming and strength giving elements, building up the tissues and the general health.

Anyone can get a 50-cent box of this remarkable flesh-forming food knowing that their money will be refunded if it does not increase weight and restore the system to health.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Among the guests registered at the Hotel Woodstock, New York City, on Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. David, of Wilmington, who are spending some time in the North.

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The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a business and social meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. All young people of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

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Yesterday's and last evening's trains from Greensboro brought large numbers of students and commencement visitors from the State Normal and Industrial College. Among the returning students are Misses Mary Worth, Thelma Smith, Lucile Cavanaugh, Carrie Toomer, Emma Lossen and Fannie Starr Mitchell with Miss Mary Baldwin Mitchell, a member of the faculty; Mrs. J. Hicks Bunting, Mrs. W. A. Lineker, Miss Laura Weil and Miss Hester Struthers, who attended the finals at the college.

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EDITOR GUNTER CLAIMS BRIDE IN MISSISSIPPI.

Friends in this city have received wedding announcements reading as follows:

Mr. Herbert Brown Gunter
and
Miss Lucy Wadsworth Betts
announce their marriage
on Monday, the twentieth of May
one thousands nine hundred twelve
Meridian, Mississippi.
At Home
after June the sixth
847 West Fifth street,
Winston-Salem, N. C.

Mr. Gunter is editor of the Winston-Salem Morning Journal and is one of the best known and most capable young newspaper men in North Carolina. His bride is a most charming and accomplished young woman. She is the daughter of Rev. A. W. Betts, of Enterprise, Fla., and is a granddaughter of Rev. Dr. A. D. Betts, of Greensboro, who is one of the best known and best beloved Methodist ministers in this State. Editor Gunter has many friends throughout North Carolina who will congratulate him and extend to him and his bride their best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Gunter will visit Mr. Gunter's parents at Sanford, N. C., for a few days and will leave next week for Winston-Salem, where they will be at home with Mrs. R. P. Henry, No. 84. West Fifth street.

Work on Steel Frame

The structural steel work for the eight-story building to be erected by the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company at the northeast corner of Front and Market streets will be begun on Monday, according to a statement by Mr. Joe Schad, the contractor, yesterday. The material has already arrived and a large force of expert workmen will arrive in time to begin the work Monday. Mr. Schad stated that it would require about four weeks to complete the skeleton frame. As soon as the frame is completed the brick and interior work will be started.

DEATH OF MRS. BACON.

Funeral to be Held at Oakdale Cemetery This Morning.

Mention in yesterday's Star of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth K. Bacon has brought sorrow to the many Wilmington friends of the Bacon family, who resided here and at Southport years ago. Mrs. Bacon was the relict of Mr. Henry Bacon, who, during his residence here, was assistant engineer under Major W. H. Craighill and Capt. W. H. Bixby, Corps U. S. Engineers, stationed here at that time, and carrying on the government work on the Cape Fear river.

Mrs. Bacon, who passed away at Winchester, Mass., on the 21st, inst., after a protracted illness, was in her 81st year. She is survived by four sons and two daughters, namely: Messrs. F. H. and Karl K. Bacon, of Boston, Mass.; Mr. James H. Bacon, of Jacksonville, Fla.; Mr. Henry Bacon, of New York City; Mrs. W. B. McKoy, of Wilmington, and Miss Lucy E. Bacon, of Winchester, Mass., all of whom will have the tender sympathy of friends in their great loss.

All the children are expected to be here for the funeral, which will be held at the lodge at Oakdale cemetery, directly from the depot, immediately following the arrival of the train from the North this morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will conduct the services.

It will be remembered that Mr. Harry Bacon was successful in securing the award in the recent contest for designs for the Lincoln Memorial Monument, soon to be erected in Washington, D. C.

TEA ROOM AT BEACH

Japanese Citizen Will Conduct One at The Resort

Another new feature at Wrightsville Beach this season, and one that will undoubtedly prove popular, will be a Japanese tea room. Mr. Yama Kijima, a native of Japan, has fitted up a cottage near Station 2 and will conduct a tea room there. The veranda of the cottage has been widened and patrons will be served here, though an inside dining room has been fitted up for use in unfavorable weather.

The cottage will be decorated in an attractive manner and will be lighted with Japanese lanterns. A Japanese cook has been engaged and a young Japanese woman will assist in serving the guests. In addition to tea, light meals and soft drinks will be served.

If the tea room meets with the success which its owner anticipates, he intends to erect a building of his own by next season. It will be of Japanese style architecture and will be fitted with ornamental oriental furniture and fixtures.

Baltimore, May 22.—George W. Stevens, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, was operated upon for gall stones at a hospital here today. The operation was reported to have been successful and his recovery was expected to be rapid. Mr. Stevens was taken ill in his office at Richmond, Va. He was hurriedly brought to the hospital here.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Geo. W. Applewhite, of Newberlin, was in the city yesterday.

—Misses Lena and Garland Fussell, of Rose Hill, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. A. S. Richardson, E. M. Toon and J. B. Schulken, of Whiteville, were here yesterday, guests at The Orton.

—Mr. E. N. Clark, immigration and agricultural agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, left last night for a business trip to Savannah, Ga.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were C. H. Hartsook, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Bland, Lillesville; R. W. Crawford, Rocky Mount; G. E. Campbell, Greenville; R. McA. Nixon, Lumberton.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were Mrs. E. J. Hollingsworth, Currie; Robert Thigpen, Burgaw; R. L. Knox, Rocky Mount; H. S. Hancock, Newbern; J. A. Zibulin and wife, Currie; Miss Quinta High, Clinton; L. E. Squires, Councils; J. A. Hearn, Willard.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "We are glad to announce that Mrs. N. A. Sinclair today received a telegram from Elizabeth City, stating that her brother, Capt. Albert H. Worth, who was on Sunday stricken with apoplexy, is much better, and has passed the crisis."

MISS PUGH LOSES CASE.

Negro Defended by Carolina Attorney is Declared Guilty.

New York, May 22.—Miss Lucille Pugh, the young woman attorney from North Carolina, who secured a disagreement of the jury on the first trial of her client, Leroy Poindexter, a negro to whose defense she had been assigned by the prisoner's request, lost her case on the second trial of the prisoner, concluded today. Poindexter was convicted by a jury of manslaughter in the second degree for the killing of Thomas Brown, colored, after a dispute over a crap game last March.

Miss Pugh summed up for the defense and scored the police for what she alleged was their unfair antagonism to the prisoner. Poindexter was remanded until next week for sentence, which may be for from seven and a half to 15 years imprisonment. The jury was out 26 hours.

Miss Pugh was called into the case because Poindexter said that her family had formerly been protectors of his family on the Pugh estate in North Carolina and he had confidence in her ability and interest in seeing that justice was done him.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 22.—The Forest City Ball and Amusement Company today surrendered its Cleveland franchise in the United States Baseball League. The president of the company said it was dissatified with conditions in other cities of the league, both East and West. The team's players, it was announced, were paid in full.

If you are unable to see any good in the world, consult an oculist.

LOCAL DOTS.

—There will be a meeting of the Alumni of the Wilmington High School this afternoon at 6 o'clock at the school building. All members are requested to be present.

—Members of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, are requested to assemble at the armory this afternoon at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of Col. Jno. D. Taylor at 3:30.

—Yesterday's Baltimore Sun: "The barge Admiral has been sold by R. B. White to the Ocean Fisheries Company, of Wilmington, N. C. In charge of Capt. Covey, the Admiral has been delivered at Morehead City en route to Wilmington. Mr. White bought the Admiral at receiver's sale."

THEIR UNCLE DEAD.

Capt. J. C. Slocumb Passes Away in Goldsboro—Funeral.

Many friends throughout this section of the State will hear with sorrow of the death of Capt. John Chas. Slocumb, who passed away at his home in Goldsboro at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday morning after a lingering illness, aged 60 years. He was a great grandson of Mary Slocumb, of Revolutionary fame, and for many years was one of the most popular conductors of the Atlantic Coast Line. He is survived by his devoted wife; two brothers, Capt. Thos. W. Slocumb and Mr. Junius Slocumb, besides five nieces and four nephews, all of whom will have the sympathy of a host of friends throughout the State in their bereavement.

The funeral was held from the family residence in Goldsboro yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, attended by a very large gathering of friends and the interment was in Willow Dale cemetery. The services were by Rev. D. H. Tuttle, of St. Paul's M. E. Church, of Goldsboro. Among those who attended the funeral were Mr. John C. Slocumb, Jr., Mr. E. Hiles Dewey, of Wilmington, and Mr. Ernest M. Dewey, of Whiteville, all nephews of the deceased.

PICNIC AT THE BEACH.

Children of St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral Enjoyed Outing Yesterday.

The children of the Sunday School of St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral enjoyed their annual outing at Wrightsville Beach yesterday through the courtesy of the Tidewater Power Company. There were about 260 children in the party, in charge of Rev. Father C. Dennen. The cars left the city at 10 o'clock and the party spent the remainder of the day at the resort, fully enjoying the many amusements and recreations that the beach offers. On the return trip the picnic reached the city at 7:10 P. M.

Today the children of the Fourth Street Advent Sunday School will have their picnic at the beach. Cars will leave Front and Princess at 10 o'clock. Mr. J. A. Ferguson, the superintendent, will be in charge, and about 75 children are expected to make up the party.

Even if a man is a "big gun" the wolf may camp on his doorstep.

..Theatrical..

The Grand Theatre today will offer something exceedingly timely and most interesting in a great Lubin film, "Little Boy Blue." The star baseball team, composed of small boys, are playing in a vacant lot. Harold bats his ball through the window of a small cottage. He quickly reports to apologize and is very kindly received by old Mr. and Mrs. Stone. While the boy is waiting to get his ball the landlord of the house comes in and demands the rent which is overdue. The boy reports to his teammates and with the Girls' Friendly Society decides to give a Mother Hubbard Bazaar for the benefit of the poor old couple. The performance is well patronized. Harold plays Little Boy Blue and two Italian organ grinders furnish the music. After the show it is discovered Harold is missing. The organ grinders are suspected of abduction, but a number of persons search the vestry room of the church where the bazaar was given and they find Harold fast asleep.

"The Greatest Thing in the World," is a Vitagraph and the picture answers the question of what it is. Money is great, but love is the greatest thing in the world. How a little child led a miserly old grouch to find a power within himself to make himself and others happy is all answered in this exceedingly interesting film.

AD-MEN "SEE" FORT WORTH.

The Delegates Will Hold Concluding Sessions Today

Fort Worth, Texas, May 22.—Delegates to the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, in session at Dallas, "saw" Fort Worth today and returned to Dallas late tonight to hold the concluding session of their meeting tomorrow. While here the advertising men participated in an automobile parade, and spent the afternoon witnessing a roping and riding contest and other features recalling frontier days. Incidentally, they had a "hand out" from a "chuck wagon," and made a trip through the packing establishments of Fort Worth.

The delegates were guests at an informal dinner tonight, the speakers including James Schermerhorn, of Detroit.

CLAUDE ALLEN SHOT JUDGE

Witness Testifies That Young Outlaw Killed Judge Massie

Wytheville, Va., May 22.—The direct charge that a bullet from the revolver of Claude Allen killed Judge Thornton L. Massie when the Allen clan shot up Carroll county court, was made on the witness stand here today by Judge D. W. Bolen. Bolen was the first witness sworn by the prosecution in the trial of Claude Allen, following the completing of the jury today.

On motion of the prosecution, Byrd Marion, one of the six men arrested after the shooting, was released in $1,000 bail to appear at the July term of court.

INDIGESTION

Mi-O-Na Stomach Tablets Quickly End All Stomach Distress and Tone Up the System.

People go on suffering from little stomach troubles for years and imagine they have a serious disease.

They over-eat, over-drink and force on the stomach a lot of extra work.

But they never think that the stomach needs extra help to do extra work.

If these people would take one or two MI-O-NA tablets with or after meals, or whenever distressed, it would be a great big help to the stomach in its strain of overwork.

No matter what you eat or drink MI-O-NA tablets will sweeten your sour stomach and stop gas belching, heaviness, sourness, fermentation or any stomach misery in a few minutes.

And MI-O-NA not only promptly relieves all distress, but if taken regularly will absolutely cure indigestion by building up the flabby overworked walls of the stomach and making them strong enough to digest the most hearty meal.

Druggists everywhere offer MI-O-NA stomach tablets for 50 cents a box.

R. R. Bellamy guarantees it.

CLAIMS CUT DOWN.

Senate Refused to Agree on House Omnibus Bill.

Washington, May 21.—Of the 25 North Carolina claims in the omnibus bill as it passed the House only nine remain in the bill as it was reported today by the Senate committee on claims. The House proposed to pay off an enormous number of claims approved by the court which grew out of damages to private property through its use or destruction by Union soldiers during the Civil War.

The nine remaining claims in the bill are Bushrod W. Nash, trustee of the Union Baptist Church, successor in interest of the Hood Swamp Baptist church of Wayne county, $6[illegible]; trustee of the Presbyterian church of Lumber Bridge, $1,800; trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Morehead City, $800; trustees of the Diocese of East Carolina of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Nag's Head, $856; trustees of Beulah Primitive Baptist church of Johnston county, $420; trustees of the Primitive Baptist church of Newport, $350; trustees of the Catholic church of Washington, $4,000; trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Washington, $4,500; trustees of the Presbyterian church of Washington, $4,500.

CHAIRMAN NOT SELECTED

Presiding Officer at Baltimore Will Not Be Named Before June 17th

Baltimore, May 22.—Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic National Committee, was in Baltimore for a few hours today. He inspected the Fifth Regiment Armory, where the National convention will be held, and expressed his satisfaction over the progress of the work in transforming the building into a convention hall.

Mr. Mack said that he would return to Baltimore about June 10th with Urey Woodson, secretary of the National Committee, and that the convention arrangements committee would meet here about June 17th.

"Nothing in the way of organization of the convention, selecting the temporary chairman, etc., will be done until then," he said.

It was tentatively agreed that the pictures of only three of the country's statesmen will be displayed conspicuously in the convention hall. Washington will be in the center over the presiding officer's stand, and those of Jefferson and Jackson will have places of honor on either side.

Demand for tickets to the convention has been unprecedented and Mr. Mack says he thinks the number of persons who will attend will reach 150,000.

Purchases Rare Violin

Director John F. Kneisel, of the Lumina Orchestra, had the good fortune during the past Winter to come into the possession of a genuine "Pressenda" violin, made by J. Francesko Pressenda in 1831. Mr. Kneisel purchased the instrument from a Pennsylvania mountaineed, and at the time did not realize the bargain he was securing. In sending it to an expert for a little repair work Mr. Kneisel learned the true value of the violin, which is placed at $1,000. It still has the original varnish upon it and is in an excellent state of preservation. Mr. Kneisel will use the violin in his work at Lumina this season.

Montevideo, May 22.—Capt. Roald Amundsen, the discoverer of the South Pole, who arrived here yesterday, announced his intention today to start from San Francisco in March or April, 1913, on an expedition to the North Pole. He will have with him the same men who accompanied him on his last expedition.

Mothers, Attention!

Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial should be kept on hand as a first aid cure for summer bowel troubles, diarrhoea, dysentery, cramp colic, cholera morbus and all agonizing pains resulting from eating green fruit. A few doses of Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial will prevent any danger and cure you at once.

Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial is an old southern remedy, tested and tried in thousands of homes. Try it; 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

Send for Confederate Veterans' Souvenir Book. FREE

Haltiwanger-Taylor Drug Co., Atlanta, Ga.

A MATTER OF HISTORY

Abraham Lincoln said that **all** of the people could be fooled **some** of the time. This may be so, but the time limit for "fooling" with our daily bread is up.

Time was when people had to be satisfied with what the baker or the good housewife made. Baking facilities were limited, and the result was mostly chance.

Bread-baking today has been reduced to a science. If you doubt it, try

Globe Splendid Bread

There is no excuse, whatever, for eating poor bread. Moreover, the nutrition, digestibility and real food value of good bread, compared with the danger to health by eating poor bread, renders the consumption of poorly baked, improperly raised, indigestible bread almost unpardonable. You owe it to yourself and to your family to eat the best bread. Eat GLOBE SPLENDID BREAD and you will make no mistake. Try a loaf today.

The Globe Baking Company

Bakery 809 North Fourth Street, Wilmington, N. C.

Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET WAS QUIET

Fluctuations Were Mostly Irregular and the Close Was Steady at a Net Decline of One to Two Points—Receipts.

New York, May 22.—The cotton market was comparatively quiet today, and fluctuations were irregular, with the close steady, at a net decline of from 1 to 2 points.

The opening was barely steady, at a decline of from 1 to 6 points, and the active months sold 5 to 7 points net lower, during the first few minutes, owing to a favorable weather map, and generally favorable forecasts, but offerings were not heavy, however, and prices soon steadied up on covering of shorts and a little trade buying. Rumors that a bullish crop report would be issued by the National Ginners' Association tomorrow undoubtedly contributed to the advance, while another factor was probably the reiterated reports of a better trade demand. At any rate, the market worked gradually higher, until prices showed a net gain of about 5 to 6 points on active positions. An official announcement that the government would issue a condition report at noon on June 4th naturally turned attention to the probable showing of the June report, and expectations of a condition percentage far under the 10-year average no doubt accounted for much of the covering. With trade now considered very favorable and with private reports indicating considerable improvement in crop conditions, however, there was renewed selling on the advance, and the market in the late trading eased off to about the low point of the morning. Last prices were 3 or 4 points up from the lowest on a final spurt of covering.

Receipts, 5,738 bales, against 4,609 last week, and 6,762 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 69, against 1,099 last year; at New Orleans, 1,504, against 3,850, last year, and at Houston, 618, against 65 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.60; do. gulf, 11.85.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.41	11.52	11.41	11.47
Feb	11.46	11.47	11.47	11.49
Mar	11.49	11.61	11.50	11.57
May	11.18	11.24	11.14	11.19
June	11.23	11.19	11.18	11.20
July	11.22	11.31	11.20	11.25
Aug	11.30	11.35	11.30	11.32
Sept	11.33	11.33	11.32	11.35
Oct		11.47	11.36	11.40
Nov	11.38	11.50	11.49	11.44
Dec	11.44	11.56	11.43	11.49

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 11 9-16; net receipts, 69; gross receipts, 69; sales, 258; stock, 114,286; Great Britain, 4,880.

New Orleans—Steady, 11⅝; net receipts, 1,504; gross receipts, 1,677; sales, 985; stock, 66,516; continent, 2,900; coastwise, 865.

Mobile—Net receipts, 70; gross receipts, 70; stock, 9,665; coastwise, 35.

Savannah—Steady, 11½; net receipts, 2,295; gross receipts, 2,295; sales, 145; stock, 59,843; continent, 3,877; coastwise, 1,779.

Charleston—Nominal, 11½; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 19,531; coastwise, 301.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 17; gross receipts, 17; stock, 11,797; coastwise, 200.

Norfolk—Steady, 11¾; net receipts, 346; gross receipts, 346; sales, 430; stock, 39,369; coastwise, 963.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11¾; stock, 8,975.

New York—Quiet, 11.60; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 627; stock, 160,771; coastwise, 1,384.

Boston—Quiet, 11.60; net receipts, 268; gross receipts, 2,983; stock, 19,789; continent 450.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.85; stock, 954; continent, 176.

Brunswick—Stock, 143.

Gulfport—Stock, 10,150.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 1,141; gross receipts, 1,141; Japan, 1,141.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 5,738; Great Britain, 4,880; continent, 7,403; Japan, 1,141; stock, 521,789.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 33,882; Great Britain, 19,412; continent, 18,135; Japan, 3,547.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,627,296; Great Britain, 4,047,743; France, 1,132,747; continent, 4,231,230; Japan, 502,953; Mexico, 8,762.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 11 11-16; net receipts, 618; gross receipts, 618; shipments, 786; stock, 52,869.

Augusta—Steady, 12; net receipts, 85; gross receipts, 233; shipments, 1,285; sales, 419; stock, 43,375.

Memphis—Steady, 12; net receipts, 401; gross receipts, 581; shipments, 425; sales, 400; stock, 32,064.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11⅞; net receipts, 225; gross receipts, 945; shipments, 720; sales, 70; stock, 19,371.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 900; gross receipts, 900; shipments, 1,100; stock, 14,283.

Little Rock—Steady, 11⅝; net receipts, 82; gross receipts, 82; shipments, 473; stock, 15,841.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,311; gross receipts, 3,359; shipments, 4,789; sales, 889; stock, 177,803.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, May 22.—Alarm regarding suggestions of crop damage Southwest and West ran up the price of wheat today in a hurry. Sudden hot weather here made dealers ready to credit rumors of disaster from high winds and dust storms. The result was a net advance of 2 to 2¼@2⅝c. a bushel. All the other leading staples, too, swept upward—corn, ⅝ to 2¾; oats, 1 to 1⅝c. and provisions, 5 to 47½.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.14@1.15¾; No. 2, hard, 1.14@1.15¾.

Corn—No. 3, 77½@78; No. 3, yellow, 78½@79½.

Oats—No. 3, white, 53½@54½; standard, 54@55.

Wheat:	Close.
May	115½
July	110¾
Sept	105½
Dec	105½
Corn:	
May	82
July	77
Sept	74¼
Dec	63⅞
Oats:	
May	53⅞
July	50⅝
September	42⅝
Dec	43½
Pork:	
May	18.52½
July	18.67½
Sept	18.77½
Lard:	
May	10.70
July	10.85
Sept	11.00
Oct	11.07½
Ribs:	
May	10.32½
July	10.37½
Sept	10.32½

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, May 22.—Spot, good business done; prices, four points higher; American middling fair, 7.07; good middling, 6.69; middling, 6.45; low middling, 6.15; good ordinary, 5.73; ordinary, 5.37.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, including 9,000 American. Receipts, 18,000 bales, including 17,700 American. Futures opened firm and closed steady. May, May and June, 6.23; June and July, 6.23½; July and August, 6.25½; August and September, 6.25; September and October, 6.22; October and November, 6.20; November and December, 6.18½; December and January, January and February, 6.18; February and March, 6.19; March and April 6.20; April and May, 6.21; May and June, 6.21½.

It is seldom necessary for a man who is as regular as clockwork to live on tick.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Tempus (Br.), 1,901 tons, Smith, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Schr. Frederick Roessner, 326 tons, Chase, Mafflitt and Wood.

Schr. Maine, 181 tons, Smith, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulburn; Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Sedgwick, 473 tons, Carter, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

Schr. Wm. Thomas Moore, 261 tons, Jones, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Lottie R. Russell, 266 tons, James, Mafflitt & Wood (at Little River, S. C.)

Schr. Woodward Abrahams, 676 tons, Gray, Mafflitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge Severn, 756 tons, Younger, Mafflitt & Wood.

Barge Gen. Knox, Mafflitt & Wood.

Barge West Point, Mafflitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., May 22.

Atlantic Coast Line—17 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 3 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—1 cask spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin.

Str. Black River—5 casks spirits turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—3 casks spirits turpentine; 6 barrels rosin.

Total—17 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 39 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Total Last Year—7 bales cotton; 108 casks spirits turpentine; 392 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 63 barrels crude turpentine.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 22.—Flour, firm, with a fair trade.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot, strong; No. 2, 123½ c.i.f., domestic basis, to arrive, and export, 123½, f.o.b. afloat, to arrive. Futures, 2@2¼ net higher; May, 1.21; July, 1.15 11-16; September, 1.10¾.

Corn—Spot, strong; export, 85½, afloat; futures, nominal.

Oats—Spot, firmer; standard white, 61½, in elevator; No. 2, 62. Futures, nominal.

Pork—Firm.

Beef—Steady.

Cut Meats—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Lard—Firmer.

Tallow—Easy.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Firm.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, quiet.

Coffee—No. 1, Rio, 14¼; futures closed steady; July, 13.44; September, 13.62.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Weak.

Butter—Unsettled.

Potatoes—Firm.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady, unchanged.

Freights—Barely steady.

Cotton Seed Oil—Quiet, but firm, on covering of shorts, scarcity of offerings, the strength in lard and support from local professionals. Futures closed 3@8 points net higher. Sales amounted to 8,000 barrels; May, 7.08@7.80; June, 7.11@7.15; July, 7.19@7.20; August, 7.28@7.29; September, 7.30@7.31. Prime crude, 5.87@6.00; do. Summer yellow, 7.08@7.20; do. Winter yellow, 7.20@8.00; do. Summer white, 7.26@8.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 45¾.

ROSIN—Steady, $6.00.

TAR—Firm, $1.90.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip; $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations for the same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 57¾; rosin, $6.20; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, $4.00 for hard, $5.80 for dip, $6.10 for virgin.

Spirits Turpentine	19
Rosin	39
Tar	2
Crude Turpentine	18

Receipts same day last year, 108 casks spirits turpentine; 392 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 63 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, 15¼.

Receipts, 17 bales; same day last year, 7 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 22.)

CORN—Firm; $1.10 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.50 to $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.50@$2.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, dull, .03@.04 per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old 16½c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12½c.@13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 20@35c. per head. Geese, 65c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00@$3.00.

EGGS—Dull, 18 2-3 to 17c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, May 18.

Market, firm on North Carolina, Spanish and Virginias.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 80@87½; machine-picked, 75@80c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 90c.; machine picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., May 14.

Spanish—Market firm. Farmers' Spanish, 90c. per bushel; Jumbo Spanish, 85c. per bushel; No. 1, Shelled, Spanish, 5c. to 5¼c. per lb.; No. 2, Shelled, Spanish, 3¾c. per lb.

Virginias—Market firm. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; Fancy Hand Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Prime, 3c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, May 22.—Cattle receipts, 16,000. Market, steady to 10c. lower. Beeves, 8.10@9.10. Texas steers, 8.70; Western, do., 6.20@7.50; stockers and feeders, 4.40@7.00; cows and heifers, 3.10@7.90; calves, 5.50@8.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 27,000. Market, generally steady. Light, 7.25@7.75; mixed, 7.35@7.85; heavy, 7.35@7.85; rough, 7.35@7.55; pigs, 5.00@6.90; bulk of sales, 7.60@7.80.

Sheep—Receipts, 22,000. Sheep, steady; lambs, week to 15c. lower. Natives, 3.75@6.25; Western, 4.00@6.25; yearlings, 5.50@7.50. Lambs, native, 5.00@8.60; Western, 5.50@8.85.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 22.—Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent.; Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8450 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.8725 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¾. Money on call, steady, at 2¾@2¾ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¾; offered at 2¾. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3 per cent.; ninety days, 3@3¼; six months, 3½@3¾.

STOCK BUSINESS WAS DULL

Activity in Political World Ruffles Waters of Stock Exchange—Steel and Iron Conditions Are Improving.

New York, May 22.—Activity in the political world, in spite of predictions to the contrary, appears to have ruffled the waters of the stock exchange today, and is likely, so competent observers believe, to make for conservatism and caution during the next few weeks. In the afternoon the market became dull and narrow, with some recovery from the lowest level, but the business of that period was of the usual professional character and failed to make any marked impression other than that brought about by covering of short contracts.

Conditions in the steel and iron trade show further improvement, according to trade authorities. Many of the large manufacturers are working at 95 per cent. of capacity and orders now booked are expected to supply the basis of operations well into the Fall months.

Money was in reduced supply here today because of the prospective foreign demand, but time rates were unchanged.

The bond market was irregular, with weakness in Rock Island collateral fours. Total sales, par value, amounted to $2,082,000. United States governments were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today, 616,900 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	31½
Amalgamated Copper	83
American Agricultural	61¼
American Beet Sugar	72⅝
American Can	38⅝
American Car and Foundry	58⅞
American Cotton Oil	54½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	25⅞
American Ice Securities	29½
American Linseed	13¾
American Locomotive	42
American Smelting and Refining	86⅝
American Smelting and Refining, pfd.	106¾
American Steel Foundries	37½
American Sugar Refining	129
American Tel and Tel	145½
American Tobacco, pfd	105½
American Woolen	30
Anaconda Mining Co	42½
Atchison	105¾
Atchison, pfd	103
Atlantic Coast Line	139¾
Baltimore and Ohio	108
Bethlehem Steel	38½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88⅛
Canadian Pacific	262½
Central Leather	25⅞
Central Leather, pfd	94
Central of New Jersey	390
Chesapeake and Ohio	78½
Chicago and Alton	20
Chicago Great Western	17¾
Chicago Great Western, pfd	34½
Chicago and North Western	138
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	105½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	64
Colorado Fuel and Iron	28½
Colorado and Southern	42½
Consolidated Gas	142
Corn Products	15⅜
Delaware and Hudson	169
Denver and Rio Grande	19¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	35¾
Distillers' Securities	32¾
Erie	35⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	53½
Erie, 2nd pfd	43½
General Electric	169½
Great Northern, pfd	131⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	42⅜
Illinois Central	127
Interborough-Met	20⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	59¼
Inter Harvester	122
Inter-Marine, prd	18
International Paper	19
International Pump	29
Iowa Central	12½
Kansas City Southern	25¼
Kansas City Southern, pfd	59¾
Laclede Gas	106
Louisville and Nashville	158¼
Minneapolis and St. Louis	21⅞
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	140
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	27½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	60
Missouri Pacific	39¾
National Biscuit	157½
National Lead	60
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30⅜
New York Central	118½
New York, Ontario and Western	38
Norfolk and Western	112¼
North American	81
Northern Pacific	119¼
Pacific Mail	32
Pennsylvania	123⅜
People's Gas	111¼
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	109
Pittsburg Coal	22¾
Pressed Steel Car	35
Pullman Palace Car	150¼
Railway Steel Spring	35¼
Reading	172⅜
Republic Steel	23⅜
Republic Steel, pfd	78½
Rock Island Co	26⅞
Rock Island Co., pfd	55¼
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	37½
St. Louis Southwestern	32½
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	73
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	49
Southern Pacific	111¼
Southern Railway	28⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	74¾
Tennessee Copper	46
Texas and Pacific	24¼
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	13½
Toledo, St. L. and Western, pfd	30
Union Pacific	170⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	90⅜
United States Realty	70
United States Rubber	63⅜
United States Steel	69½
United States Steel, pfd	119¾
Utah Copper	62¾
Virginia Carolina Chemical	51½
Wabash	7¼
Wabash, pfd	18½
Western Maryland	59
Westinghouse Electric	74
Western Union	83
Wheeling and Lake Erie	7
Seaboard Air Line	24⅜
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	51¾

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 22.—Turpentine, steady. Rosin, quiet.

Savannah, May 22.—Turpentine, firm, 46¼@46½. Sales, 1,134 receipts, 1,032; shipments, 222; stock, 27,110.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,074; receipts, 2,483; shipments, 3,782; stocks, 61,383. Quote: B, 6.00@6.35; D, 6.50; E, 6.80@6.90; F, 7.00@7.22½; G and H, 7.10@7.22½; I, 7.20; K, 7.25; M, 7.30; N, 7.32½; W G and W W, 7.45.

Charleston, May 22.—Turpentine, firm, at 46¾.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.10@6.25; D, 6.50; E, 6.90; F, 6.90; G, 7.22½; H, 7.15@7.22½; I, 7.22½@7.25; K, 7.25; M, 7.30; N, 7.32½; W G, 7.35; W W, 7.35@7.37½.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 22.—The cotton goods markets are quiet and barely steady. Jobbers report a moderate house trade, with an increased demand in wash and white goods departments. Worsted novelty yarns are in good demand. The Fall carpet trade is good.

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are mosquitoes. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a fine appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since." Best for all stomach, liver and kidney ills. 50cts. at R. R. Bellamy's.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

May 23, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 67 degrees; at 8 P. M., 69 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 65 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .29; rainfall for the month to date, 4.50.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 8.5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Thursday; Friday, fair; warmer in east portion.

Port Calendar—May 23.

Sun rises	5:05 A. M.
Sun sets	7:12 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 7 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	3:07	3:43	10:13	10:40
Southport	12:55	1:37	7:29	7:47

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

May 22, 1912

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene		78	70	
Asheville	pt cldy	78	48	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	82	64	.0
Augusta	cloudy	80	64	.06
Birmingham	clear	86	68	.0
Boston	cloudy	58	48	.30
Charleston	cloudy	82	68	.48
Charlotte	pt cldy	82	60	.0
Chicago	clear	86	48	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	82	74	.0
Jacksonville	clear	84	68	.0
Memphis	clear	84	66	.0
Mobile	clear	86	68	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	86	64	.0
New Orleans	pt cldy	88	70	.0
New York	clear	64	54	.0
Palestine	clear	86	66	.0
Oklahoma	clear	86	68	.0
Pittsburg	clear	86	62	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	76	60	.0
Savannah	cloudy	80	66	.40
Shreveport	clear	88	60	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	86	66	.0
Washington	clear	84	60	.0

We haven't heard that Mr. Van Knockem was in town today. He probably was delivering a twentieth of May oration in Charlotte.—Raleigh Times.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION of the

Murchison National Bank

of Wilmington, N. C.

At the close of business, April 18, 1912

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$3,931,539.49
U. S. Bonds (at par)	551,000.00
Bank Building	25,000.00
Bonds and other Securities	149,309.58
Cash and due by banks	1,438,933.33
	$6,095,782.40

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 325,000.00
Surplus and net profits	501,786.92
Circulation	550,000.00
Special deposit U.S. bonds	100,000.00
Deposits	4,118,995.48
	$6,095,782.40

DEPOSITS.

April 18th, 1910	$3,397,724.94
April 18th, 1911	3,501,716.02
April 18th, 1912	4,118,995.48

H. C. McQUEEN, President.
J. V. GRAINGER, Vice President.
J. W. YATES, Vice President.
C. S. GRAINGER, Cashier.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., to the Murchison National Bank, and duly registered in the records of New Hanover County, in Book 57, p. 300, said mortgage and the debt having been transferred and assigned to the undersigned, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at its place of business, Nos. 14 and 16 Market street, Wilmington, N. C., on Saturday, June 1st, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., all the following described personal property, to-wit: All the machinery, bottles, crates, supplies, furniture and fixtures in said place of business, and one horse, several wagons, harness and other property incident to and connected with the business of bottling, carried on by said Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co.; also the right to bottle Pepsi-Cola within the territory prescribed in an agreement with the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., of Newbern, N. C., and the corporate rights and franchises of the said Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., of Wilmington, N. C.

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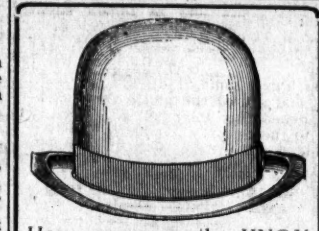

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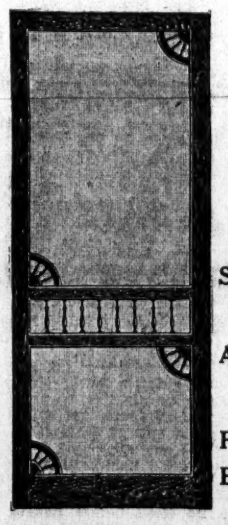

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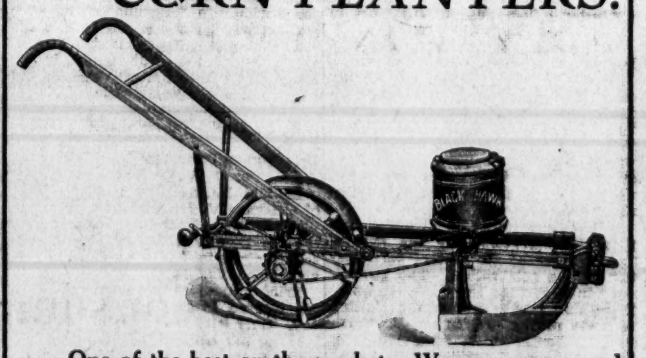

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COL. HORNE'S MONUMENT.

Artist Returns to New York—Republicans Pleased With Raleigh.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 22.—Mr. Henry A. Lukman, of New York, selected as the artist to prepare the design for the monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy that Hon. Ashley Horne is to present to the State at a cost of $10,000, has gone back to his studio in New York to perfect the details of the design that has been adopted in general outline by the monument commission.

He is to return to Raleigh June 11th, with the perfected detail plans when the commission will formally accept or reject his work. If rejected, other artists can then get into competition again. However, there is every indication that Mr. Lukman will have his plans in such shape as that they will be adopted. The artist is to have one year from the time the plans are adopted and the contract signed, in which to get the monument in place.

Its place in Capitol Square is to be directly in front of the main entrance of the administration building now going up on the block between Fayetteville and Salisbury streets. It will be of a semi-circular half-moon shape with an open court of about 30 feet depth from the sidewalk and a low massive design. The central feature will be the figure of an idealized Southern woman on properly proportioned pedestal. Swinging out from this in crescent shape to right and left and sloping to the curb will be granite extensions bearing bas relief figures in bronze that will depict Southern civil war conditions, possibly one showing Southern women sending their husbands, sons and sweethearts to the war and taking up the struggle of self support and protection and another representing them receiving back the weary and battle scarred survivors. There will be inscriptions on the back and front of the pedestal bearing the figure. The base of the monument showing across Capitol Square is to have a hedge and other decoratic plant treatment.

Secretary Gilliam Grissom, of the State Republican Executive Committee, has written Mr. W. S. Wilson, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee on conventions, declaring that "Everything was so admirably planned and executed and every courtesy and kindness shown our people that it has heightened their interest in the Capital City. Through you and those who have served with you has Raleigh gained a reputation as a convention city which no place in the State can possibly excel."

Governor Kitchin today ordered a special term of Graham county Superior Court to coneve July 1st, Judge J. L. Webb presiding, for the trial of civil causes. It is to be a one-week term.

VOTE NARROWLY MISSED.

Senator Heyburn Objects to Vote on Metal Tariff Bill.

Washington, May 22.—An agreement for a vote on the metal tariff bill next Monday was narrowly missed in the Senate today as a result of objections by Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, following a lively tariff discussion. Senator Smoot, of Utah, concluded a four days' speech in which he inveighthreatened the closing of factories and forcing workingmen into idleness.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, flung the charge of insincerity against Republicans and Democrats alike as to tariff revision. He said that Senators generally were counting upon a veto and that the tariff was taken up in order to play politics while anti-trust legislation, which would give the greatest relief to the people, lay dormant. Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, in charge of the tariff bills for the Democrats, and Senator Bacon, of Georgia, denied insincerity.

Senator Smoot said Democrats had come to him with the statement that the House steel rates were unsatisfactory and expressed indifference as to any revision. Senator Bacon demanded the identity of such Democrats and Senator Smoot refused to divulge their names.

Senator Bacon announced that the Democrats, failing to carry their own steel bill, would vote for any Republican measure less repugnant than the present tariff law.

To demonstrate Democratic sincerity, Senator Simmons suggested a vote by next Wednesday. Senator Clark, of Wyoming, suggested next Monday and Senator Cummins the exclusive consideration of the bill beginning tomorrow with a vote by Monday. Senator Heyburn blocked the movement for early action, refusing to agree to a vote until the next Republican convention had spoken on the tariff question.

ARRANGING CELEBRATION

Gettysburg Commission Will Meet In Washington May 28th

Gettysburg, Pa., May 22.—The Pennsylvania Battle of Gettysburg Commission which has charge of the celebration in July, 1913, of the 50th anniversary of the great battle, will meet in Washington, May 28th and 29th. As a result of correspondence with General Louis Wagner, chairman of the commission, a practically full representation of the States and territories is assured.

A bill is pending in Congress appropriating $358,000 for the government's share of the cost of participation in the celebration. The government is to assume charge of the quartering and subsistence of the visiting veterans of the armies of the North and the South. It is estimated from 40 to 60 thousand veterans will attend the celebration.

Kansas City, Mo., May 22.—Rev. David M. Chappell, of Sumter, was among the new bishops ordained today by the General Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church in session here. Bishop L. J. Coppin was tonight sent for four years by the Episcopal committee to Virginia and North Carolina.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SHIFTS TO NEW JERSEY

Struggle for Delegates Will Be In Wilson's State—Novel Situation

Newark, N. J., March 22.—The struggle for National convention delegates shifted today to New Jersey. Governor Wilson's home State has taken the center of the political stage occupied last by Ohio and previously by the other commonwealths that expressed their prefences for Presidential candidates through primary elections. The New Jersey primaries are next Tuesday and both Republicans and Democrats plan to carry the fight up to the very hour of opening the polls.

Senator LaFollette opened his campaign tonight with speeches in Jersey City and West Hoboken. President Taft and Theodore Roosevelt will enter the State tomorrow, starting tours that will touch every Congressional district and nearly every important city and town in the State.

The Democratic situation is unusual. Although Governor Wilson is the only candidate for the Presidential nomination named on the Democratic ballot his opponents inside the State have organized against him and named a complete list of delegates who will appear on the ballots as "uninstructed." The anti-Wilson leaders have not announced what candidate they will support at Baltimore in case they go there with any delegates. Governor Wilson has made practically no speaking campaign.

New Jersey will send 28 delegates to the National convention.

The primary situation here is like that in Ohio, to the extent that the election may divide the delegates chosen to represent the several Congressional districts among the various candidates, but the New Jersey law provides that the delegates at large shall be elected by the direct primary vote of the whole State and not by a State convention. Four delegates at large will be chosen and two from each of the 12 Congressional districts, the latter by the vote within their districts.

In addition, the voters have the privilege of expressing a direct preference for individual candidates for the Presidential nomination, so that it is possible for a candidate to lead in the number of pledged delegates, but fail to get a plurality vote from the State at large.

Taft, Roosevelt, LaFollette and Wilson all have complete lists of district delegates and delegates at large on the primary ballots.

PARDONED BANKER RETURNS.

Charles W. Morse Arrives From Europe Improved in Health.

New York, May 22.—Charles W. Morse and Mrs. Morse, who sailed for Europe February 14th, shortly after Morse's sentence in the Atlanta penitentiary was commuted by President Taft, returned today. They were on the passenger list as Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Mr. Morse talked freely with the newspaper men. As to whether he intended to return to the business world he said that would depend on how his health keeps up.

The former banker declared he had gained a great deal by his rest in Europe. His looks confirmed his statement. After touring Italy and Germany, he spent the latter four weeks of his trip at Wiesbaden taking the baths. A physician there told nim that with careful attention to his diet he would live "quite a while."

"He did not say what 'quite a while' meant," said Mr. Morse. "It might mean years or might mean months—I do not know. I have only meant to get well while in Europe. I have paid no attention to business. Four months ago I could not walk across a room. Now I can walk about easily without a cane and I feel greatly benefitted by the sojourn in Europe."

When he was told that the citizens of his native town, Bath, Me., had planned a demonstration of welcome, he expressed pleasure, but said that he had no plans to go there soon.

WANT EARLY CONSIDERATION

Minority Demands That Lorimer Inquiry Be Kept Before Senate

Washington, May 22.—Senator Lea, of Tennessee, minority member of the Lorimer Investigating Committee, gave notice in the Senate today that the minority would insist upon an early consideration of the resolution involving Senator Lorimer's right to his seat.

"It is a question of the highest privilege," he said, "and we shall demand that it be kept before the Senate until a vote is reached."

Senator Cullom presented a letter from Mr. Lorimer's physician saying that the Senator's health was such that he could not be present at this time and also a telegram from Senator Lorimer to the same effect. Mr. Cullom said he had no interest in the matter beyond seeing that his colleague was fairly dealt with. In his telegram Senator Lorimer said he did not want unnecessary delay.

BODY SENT TO AMHERST, VA.

Brief Funeral Services Held In Boston For C. V. T. Richeson

Boston, Mass., May 22.—The body of Clarence V. T. Richeson, who was electrocuted early Tuesday morning for the murder of Avis Linnell, was sent tonight to Amherst, Va., his former home, for burial.

Brief funeral services were held in the Warren Avenue Baptist church today. Only Richeson's brother and sister and his counsel and a few other persons were present as mourners. The services were conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, who acted as spiritual adviser for Richeson. Douglas Richeson, a brother, and Miss L. J. Richeson, a sister, are accompanying the body to Amherst.

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MODEL MILL VILLAGE

Kinston Has Novel Experiment—Revival Services—Negro For Murder

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 22.—As its part in Kinston's health campaign now underway, one of the local cotton mills has completed what is perhaps one of the model mill villages in the country. The settlement, known as Caswell, is the extreme western suburb of the city, and is ideally located, being bounded by Mitchelltown, an exclusive residential section, on two sides, and by Neuse river on the south and west. Caswell is a spotless town in reality, and according to the health officers who inspected it, the little village is without a single tuberculosis suspect, and is nearly 100 per cent immune against typhoid and its kindred diseases. The settlement consists of several streets of uniform cottages, and is without fences, thus doing away with one chance of accumulation of garbage. The operatives' houses are screened against mosquitoes and flies, each one is furnished with artesian water, sanitary sewerage appliances are in use, and a community wash house, or laundry is to be installed. Several other hygienic innovations are in vogue, and with the carefully planned and enforced system of the mill management, leading physicians predict that Caswell will prove a wonderful success as a mill town without disease. The experiment will be watched with interest by sanitarians everywhere.

A series of revival services began in Queen Street Methodist church here a week and a half ago, and came to a close tonight. The series was perhaps without equal in the history of local church affairs in several ways. Rev. A. L. Stanford, Rev. C. E. Vale and Rev. F. S. Love, the latter pastor of the church, had the affair in charge. Rev. Mr. Vale, of Trenton, had the musical part of the services in charge.

The grand jury in Lenoir county Superior Court yesterday returned a true bill charging Arthur Davis, colored, with murder. Davis shot a negro boy on a large plantation at Falling Creek, this county, several months ago. Both were employes on the farm. Davis claimed that the shooting was accidental, but evidence gradually developed that resulted in his being held to answer to the charge of a wilful killing. The case will be tried at this week's criminal session.

WILSON'S NAME WITHDRAWN

Secretary Will Not Represent Church At Pan-Presbyterian Council

Louisville, Ky., May 22.—Expressing its disapproval of the action of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson in accepting last Summer a vice presidency of the Brewers' Congress at Chicago, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America today rescinded its action in naming him as a delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian Council.

The nominating committee was directed to nominate a delegate from the Synod of Baltimore, from which Secretary Wilson was to have been a representative, for the office.

What was taken to be an inference by the Rev. Dr. Alexander Henry, of Philadelphia, that one or more members of the Board of Publication [illegible] orthodox, provoked quick response today from members of the General Assembly. Names of the heterodox ones were called for. One commissioner declared that any member of the board who had to make mental reservations in his acceptance of the Church's doctrines should at once resign. Moderator Matthews sternly forbade any challenge of any man's orthodoxy on the floor of the Assembly, pointing out charges must be made before the proper tribunal of the Church. Dr. Henry straightened matters out by explaining that in aything he had said he had not intended to convey any inference and expressed his unquestioned belief in the integrity of the orthodoxy of every board member.

The report of the Board of Publication and Sunday School Work presented today, was accompanied by resolutions providing for the appointment of a committee to confer with the board and to withdraw from distribution such graded lessons as are held to be unsatisfactory. Amended so as to provide that the decision of the committee alone would be sufficient to cause withdrawal of such literature, the resolution was adopted.

REGULAR JURY COMPLETE.

Task of Securing Alternate in Darrow Case Proves Difficult.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 22.—Selecting a 13th, or alternate juror in the trial of Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago lawyer, for alleged jury bribing, proved today the most difficult task yet undertaken in the trial.

The regular jury of 12 men was completed before the noon recess.

When court adjourned late today 10 men had been examined in a fruitless attempt to obtain the 13th member who will act on reaching a verdict only if required by the illness of a regular juror.

Seven talesmen will be available tomorrow morning and unless the delays experienced today are repeated it is believed the trial will be well under way before adjournment.

District Attorney John D. Fredericks will make the opening statement for the prosecution.

H. E. STACY TO RUN.

Will be Candidate for State Senate in Robeson County.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rowland, N. C., May 22.—Mr. H. E. Stacy, of this place, who was recently nominated as a reform candidate for the State Senate from Robeson county, has decided to re-enter the race for the nomination, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on the 10th of August. Mr. Stacy recently withdrew from the race, but at the earnest solicitation of many of the more prominent citizens of the county, he has decided to make the personal sacrifice and enter the race. He is decidedly one of the ablest and best equipped men connected with the reform movement which is now ripe in the "great State of Robeson."

Helps A Judge In Bad Fix

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy's.

DEFENDANT IN NOVEL SUIT.

Russell Hopkins, Former Georgian, Secured Money by Coercion.

New York, May 22.—Russell F. Hopkins, the wealthy young man who came from Atlanta several years ago and eloped with 16-year-old Vera Lawrence Siegrist, of St. Louis, who is said to be heir to two millions, was made defendant today in an unusual suit brought by Mrs. Josephine Lawrence, his wife's wealthy grandmother. Mrs. Lawrence seeks to recover $275,000, which she claims to have loaned Hopkins through misrepresentation and coercion by his working upon her love for her granddaughter and the latter's little children. She declares that Hopkins importuned her repeatedly for money and in one instance obtained a large sum for the establishment of a town house with the understanding that he and his wife would stay in New York with their children. He has, however, gone away, it is declared, and since his present whereabouts is unknown, papers in the suit have been served on the caretaker of his large estate at Irvington-on-Hudson.

Hopkins is the son of an Atlanta banker, whose millions he has spent in a manner that has kept him continuously in the public eye. At his Irvington estate, comprising 60 acres with a handsome residence and Italian gardens and other adornments alongside the river, he maintains a private menagerie. For the amusement of his babies half of the roof of his Fifth avenue house in this city has also been converted into a zoo where real lions, tigers and bear cubs disport themselves.

Hopkins has a penchant for insurance, it is said, having taken out policies for life, accident, health, fire, burglary, tornado, automobiles, menagerie and yachts. When the blackhand cropped up he is understood to have taken out a policy against assassination and pays $25 a year on the understanding that, if he is killed, $2,000 is to be paid to the first witness and $1,000 each to the next three witnesses who will convict his murderer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins have two children. They are Josephine I. Hoppins, the pet and delight of her great-grandmother, and John Randolph Hopkins, born last Fall, and said to have started life as a $5,000,000 baby. Mrs. Lawrence is a resident of this city.

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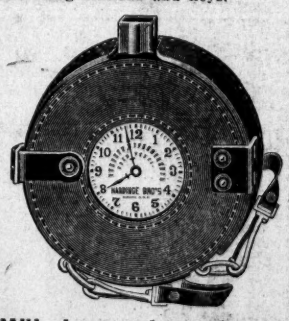

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50 Cases Herring Roe.
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